

## FLOOD CONTROL BILL PASSES THE HOUSE

### PROVIDES MONEY FOR MISSISSIPPI AND SACRAMENTO RIVERS

Measure Now Goes to Senate—Would Authorize Expenditure of Not Exceeding \$45,000,000 for Flood Control and General Improvement of the Mississippi.

Washington, May 17.—The flood control bill providing appropriations for the Mississippi and Sacramento rivers was passed by the house late today by a vote of 180 to 53.

The bill now goes to the senate. It would authorize the expenditure of not exceeding \$45,000,000 for flood control and general improvement of the Mississippi river under the Mississippi river commissions and \$5,600,000 for flood control, removal of debris and general improvement of the Sacramento river including continuance of the California debris commission plans. The expenditures are to be spread over a five year period. The Mississippi Valley local interests are to cooperate with an amount equal to one half of the \$45,000,000.

The state of California is to match the \$5,600,000 with an equal sum while the Sacramento Valley land owners are to build all river levees, buy pass levees and buy rights of way in a work estimated to cost them under the debris commission plans, approximately \$30,000,000. The bill provides machinery under the war department by which any flood problems, other than the Mississippi and Sacramento may be examined and reported on by army engineers. There was no party division on the bill, Speaker Clark and Majority Leader Kitchin being joined by Minority Leader Mann in its support.

Representative Curry of California, told the house that the Mississippi and the Sacramento rivers were the only two projects that have been thoroughly investigated and surveyed and reported on to congress by the chief of engineers. He explained that the Mississippi river project would make possible the reclamation of about 15,000,000 or 16,000,000 acres of land while on the Sacramento river the bill would permit the reclamation of 1,000,000 acres by private enterprise.

Representative Raker of California declared that the \$5,600,000 provided in the bill for the Sacramento was "only half of the actual cost of putting the river, its banks and its bed in the shape it was in before the government permitted hydraulic mining to such an extent that the river was made non-navigable."

Representative Moore of Pennsylvania and others attacked the bill. Mr. Moore declared that the people of the east—the people of the cities of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, were asleep and had no conception of the vast aggregate of appropriations being rolled up by this congress.

## BALTIMORE CITIZENS PARADE IN ADVOCACY OF PREPAREDNESS

BALTIMORE, Md., May 17.—About 7,000 citizens of Baltimore comprising all classes, paraded through the streets here late today in advocacy of a policy of National Preparedness.

More than 100,000 persons lined the route of the parade and cheered the marchers, who were reviewed by Governor E. C. Harrington and other state officials. Mayor James H. Preston took no part in the plans for the parade and refused to permit the municipal band to participate. Illustrative of the Democratic spirit that was manifested, a delegation of bank officials, stock brokers and lawyers, with their employees, marched behind a large force of workmen of Italian descent.

## SEN. CUMMINS STRUCK WITH THROAT TROUBLE

Portland, Ore., May 17.—Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, was stricken today with acute throat trouble and was forced to cancel two speaking engagements which he made for tonight. At his hotel it was said he had gone to bed early by order of his physician, and it was not known when he would be able to resume his trip.

Senator Cummins has been touring Oregon since last Saturday and speaking in furtherance of his candidacy for the presidency.

## COLONEL FISHER DIES.

Bucyrus, Ohio, May 17.—Colonel Cyrus W. Fisher, aged 81, at one time superintendent of the Mountain division of the Union Pacific, later general superintendent of the Denver & South Park and finally general manager of the Rock Island lines, west of the Missouri river, died at his home here tonight from heart trouble.

## CAPTAIN KILBURN TO RETIRE.

Quincy, Ill., May 17.—Captain Dale G. Kilburn, adjutant of the Fifth infantry for four years and a member of the Illinois national guard for twenty years, will retire from active service July 1. First Lieutenant Mark Alexander of Company F, Quincy, has been named by Colonel Frank Wood as acting adjutant and later will be raised to rank of captain and made adjutant.

## SERIOUS DISTURBANCES MARK PROGRESS OF CHICAGO STRIKES

Score of Persons Receive Minor Injuries and a Dozen Are Arrested—Two Express Drivers Are Severely Beaten.

Chicago, May 17.—Serious disturbances today marked the progress of the strikes prevailing here. In one instance a score of persons received minor injuries and a dozen persons were arrested. Striking garment workers and their sympathizers are accused by the police of starting the trouble in an attack of suspected non-unionists. Sticks, stones and other missiles were used until a detail of police arrived and arrested those who failed to flee at the approach of the officers.

Two drivers for an express company were severely beaten by alleged strikers who fled on the arrival of the police. The men were delivering packages when a crowd overtook them, dragged the driver and his assistant from the wagon and beat them while others cut the harness. The crowd was threatening to destroy the wagon and contents when a detail of police arrived whereupon the crowd fled into buildings and alleys. The injured men were cared for at an emergency hospital.

With the ranks of the striking harvester and garment workers augmented by several strikes in other trades there came announcement of a settlement between the tailoring firm of Daube, Essenthal & Co., with their employees whereby between 400 and 500 workmen would resume work. According to union officials other firms were negotiating with their workmen for a settlement.

## METHODISTS UNABLE TO ELECT ANY BISHOPS IN FOUR BALLOTS

Some Delegates Predict Several More Ballots Will Be Necessary Before Any Candidate Will Be Able to Pull a Two-thirds Vote.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., May 17.—Altho four ballots had been taken up tonight the Methodist Episcopal general conference had not been able to elect any of the seven new bishops, or general superintendents, determined upon by the conference yesterday. On the fourth ballot, Rev. Matt S. Hughes of Pasadena, Calif., headed the list of candidates with 454 votes, lacked 76 of the necessary two-thirds majority.

Another Pacific coast minister, Rev. Adna W. Leonard, of Seattle, Wash., was in second place with 429 votes and a third representative from the far west, Rev. C. E. Locke of Los Angeles, was in ninth place with 285 votes.

President Herbert Welch of Ohio Wesleyan university was well up among the leaders, as were Charles B. Mitchell of Chicago and Chancellor Franklin Hamilton of the American university of Washington, D. C. All of them had been among the first ten of every ballot.

It was predicted by delegates who attended many quadrennial conferences that several more ballots would have to be taken before any candidate would be able to pull a two-thirds vote.

## CHAPLAINS ARE NAMED FOR PROGRESSIVE CONVENTION

CHICAGO, May 17.—Secretary O. K. Davis of the Progressive National committee, will arrive here tomorrow to take charge of the preliminary arrangements for the party's national convention to open here June 7th. Chaplains for the Progressive National convention were named today by the local committee on arrangements as follows:

Wednesday, June 7th—Bishop William F. McDowell, Methodist Episcopal Church, Chicago.

Thursday, June 8th—Rev. John Timothy Stone, pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian church, Chicago.

Friday, June 9th—Rabbi Joseph Stolz, Isaiah Temple, Chicago.

Saturday, June 10th—Rev. Thomas V. Shannan, St. Francis Roman Catholic church, Chicago.

## TAKE TWO MEXICANS PRISONERS.

San Antonio, May 17.—Two Mexicans were wounded and taken prisoners by Major Langhorne yesterday in a skirmish a short distance south of El Paso according to a report made to General Funston tonight by Colonel Sibley at Los Alamos, 45 miles south of the border. None of the Americans was injured.

## WESLEYAN WINS MEET.

Bloomington, Ill., May 17.—The Wesleyan-Normal track meet this afternoon was a bitterly contested affair, Wesleyan winning, 57 to 55. The feature was the javelin throw by P. H. Miller of Normal, who hurled it 150 feet, 9 inches, breaking the Illinois record.

## WILSON INDICATES GRATIFICATION

Washington, May 17.—President Wilson, talking with congressional leaders today indicated his gratification at the progress being made on legislation supported by the administration and expressed hope that congress would be able to adjourn early in the summer. It is the hope of the president to see most of the administration program completed before the political conventions in June.

## AUSTRIANS WAGING VIGOROUS OFFENSIVE

### FORCE ITALIANS AGAIN TO ABANDON SOME ADVANCED POSITIONS

Capture an Aggregate of 141 Officers and 6,200 Men—Fighting on Western Front Consists Mainly of Artillery Duels.

From the Tonale Pass region in Western Trentino to Monfalcone, a short distance from the head of the Gulf of Trieste, the Austrians are vigorously on the offensive against the Italians.

In Tyrol to the south of Trent heavy infantry attacks to the east of the Adige river have forced the Italians again to abandon some of their advanced positions and resulted in the capture by the Austrians of an aggregate of 141 officers and 6,200 men. In addition thirteen guns and seventeen machine guns were captured.

Vienna says that south of Rovereto the Austrians stormed Zegnartort, but Rome asserts that the five attacks launched were put down with heavy casualties, the bodies of numerous dead Austrians floating away in the swift current of the Adige river.

The repulse of another Austrian attack in the Sugana Valley is also reported by Rome. Along the remainder of the front there were heavy artillery bombardments with here and there infantry activities.

On the front in France and Belgium, the fighting has consisted mainly of artillery duels to the northwest of Verdun.

The entente airmen have been particularly active against German positions and there have been combats in the air with German fliers. In these latter combats several German aircraft were brought down by British and French aviators. In one of the raids, American aviators fighting with the French army under the title of the Franco-American flying corps, took part in their first foray as an individual unit.

Fights of minor importance with the advantage in favor of the Russians have taken place on the northern end of the Russian front. Asiatic Turkey around Diabekr the Turks again assumed the offensive against the Russians but again met with a repulse.

The French are showing activity along the Lake Doiran and other sectors of the Serbo-Greek frontier, having occupied Devetepo and pushed the forces east toward Monastir. The infantry of both sides along this front continue to make preparations for possible encounters.

Of three Americans on board the Dutch steamer Batavier V., which was sunk by an explosion in the North Sea, one was drowned. One of the Americans expresses the belief that the steamer struck a mine.

## EXPERT TESTIMONY OCCUPIES MOST OF DAY IN PATTERNS SUITS

CHICAGO, May 17.—Expert testimony occupied the greater part of the day in the trial of the libel suit of Z. C. Patten, Jr., against the American Medical association. Mr. Patten alleges that he was injured to the extent of \$300,000 by the publication in the association's journal of attacks on a proprietary medicine which he manufactures at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Dr. Henry H. Rusby of Newark, N. J., professor of materia medica in the college of pharmacology of Columbia university, testified as to the value of cerduus benedictus and virburnum prunifolium as potent drugs in the making of Wine of Cardui the Patten product.

## EAST ST. LOUIS ASKS PROBE OF GAS AND TELEPHONE RATES

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 17.—East St. Louis filed a petition with the Illinois public utilities commission today for an investigation of the rate of \$1 net charged by the St. Clair Gas & Electric company for each thousand cubic feet of gas. An investigation was asked also of the telephone rates. It is claimed by the city that there is no competition between the Southwestern Bell Telephone company and the Kinloch Telephone company, which operates there. East St. Louis subscribers want a physical connection established between the two companies and a reduction in rates.

## BRITISH MONITOR IS SUNK.

London, May 17.—A British official communication issued this evening admits the loss of a small monitor as a result of a fire of Turkish batteries. The monitor was reported as having been on fire in a Turkish official statement Tuesday. The British admiral denied the statement but says later advices confirm the Turkish report.

## ORDER STRAY DOGS KILLED.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 17.—Orders that all stray dogs must be rounded up and killed unless claimed, were issued today by city officials. Mad dog scares are growing frequent, it was said, and two little children recently have been severely bitten by stray dogs, one of whom was believed to be mad.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

QUINCY, Ill.—Leonard Schanon and Minnie Pappie were arrested here on a charge of having black-mailed a number of Quincy citizens.

CLINTON.—The remains of a man ground to death under the wheels of a Milwaukee railroad freight train were identified as those of Peter Shafer, a resident of Clinton.

WASHINGTON.—Col. John Bidle, of the Engineer Corps, now stationed at Baltimore, has been appointed superintendent of the West Point military academy, effective July 1.

ROCKFORD, Ill.—The new Mosque of Tebala, Temple of the Mystic Shrine, erected at a cost of \$80,000, was dedicated here in the presence of 1,000 Shriners, representing a large number of temples.

WASHINGTON.—President Wilson has accepted an invitation to take part at Hodgenville, Ky., Sept. 4, in exercises marking formal presentation to the federal government of the farm on which Abraham Lincoln was born.

BERLIN.—A mutiny of Hindu troops near the Suez canal is reported. The Hindus in many cases refused to obey orders and fought their Australian officers. Casualties were large.

NEW YORK.—Recruits sufficient to form five regiments of infantry at war strength have enrolled for the summer military training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y. Enlistments thus far total 8,105.

PARIS.—Professor Elie Metchnikoff, the famous bacteriologist who is head of the Pasteur institute, is seriously ill. He has an affection of the heart which has not yielded to treatment.

CHICAGO.—Police and private detectives are today investigating the death of Leonard Richardson, a wealthy Chicago business man and high Mason, whose body was found beside the tracks of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad near Kenosha, Wis.

QUINCY, Ill.—Charles Watson pleaded guilty in the circuit court here to stealing \$6 worth of whiskey and 20 cents worth of tobacco from a local saloon and was sentenced to from one to twenty years in the penitentiary. His wife is suing him for divorce because of his trouble.

## EXAMINE 136 VENIREMEN IN TRIAL OF WILL H. ORPET.

Four Men Occupy Box as Tentative Jurymen at Close of Third Day.

Waukegan, Ill., May 17.—One hundred and thirty six veniremen were examined today in the trial of Will H. Orpet, University of Wisconsin student, charged with poisoning his sweetheart, Marian Lambert, and at the third day just four men occupied the box as tentative jurymen.

As the last of a panel drawn yesterday was being examined and a new venire of one hundred was waiting, Judge Donnelly lectured the prospective jurors on their duties as citizens, saying that in evading jury service a man was not only not showing good citizenship but actually was perjuring himself. He said the number of those who had "opinions" awakened the suspicion that they were dodging their duty.

One after another the veniremen kept on with the excuse of having unfavorable "opinions" and were excused without being asked whether his opinion was as to the guilt or innocence of the young defendant.

Meanwhile Orpet sat beside his father and mother with the latter holding his hand, and he followed with the greatest interest the questioning of the prospective jurors—as did his parents.

Counsel for Orpet announced that he would take the stand in his own defense when his counsel reached the point of offering evidence in the young man's behalf.

## PREPAREDNESS PARADE WILL BE HELD IN CHICAGO JUNE 3

CHICAGO, May 17.—The preparedness parade planned for Chicago will be held on Saturday, June 3, it was decided tonight by the committee of organization. At the same time it was decided to broaden the scope of the parade by inviting mayors of other cities to join in giving the day a national importance.

New York and Baltimore having staged preparation parades it was decided to invite participation by twenty-five of the largest cities of the country, other than the two named. An appeal for "national preparedness day" was drawn up and sent out at once by telegraph.

## CHARITIES CONFERENCE ENDS.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 17.—The forty-third annual session of the national conference on charities and corrections closed here tonight after seven days of sectional meetings and general sessions.

Tonight's general session was devoted to the subject of health. The speakers were Dr. J. R. Eastman of Indianapolis; Dr. Eugene L. Fiske of New York; L. J. Rettger of Terre Haute, Ind., and the newly elected president, Frederick Almy of Buffalo, N. Y.

## TAFT ADDRESSES LAKE MOHONK CONFERENCE

### APPEARS AS MISSIONARY FOR LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE

Former President Answers Pacifists Who Object to New League Because it Presupposes Peace.

Lake Mohonk, N. Y., May 17.—William H. Taft appeared before the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration tonight as a missionary for that league to enforce peace. In taking his place as a presiding officer here, Mr. Taft answered the pacifists who object to the new league because it presupposes the use of force. He replied also to critics of the league who believed it would draw the United States into entangling alliances.

"I do not think we have reached a time," said Mr. Taft, "when force as an aid to a moral impulse can be dispensed with. We need a police force at home and the same need exists in the relations between nations. As regards the fears of entangling alliances our situation now is very different from what it was when Washington gave his warning."

He enumerated the developments which had brought the United States into inevitable contact with foreign powers. Speaking of the Philippines he declared:

"I cannot tell you what I think of our present Philippine policy in the presence of ladies."

Mexico he characterized as "an international nuisance likely to entail greater burdens upon us."

"Ultimatums," he continued, "we read the word in the headlines of the daily paper and then we eat breakfast before we read what is under the headline. It shows how close we are to war. It shows how being a neutral is not more likely to keep us out of war."

The opportunity to carry out the proposals of the league to enforce peace, Mr. Taft said, is growing more and more apparent. He added:

"I do not know how near the end of the war we are, but there are indications that they are growing tired of war on the other side. A man came to see me the other day who had a conference with Sir Edward Grey and Minister Briand and discussed with them the proposals of the league. They both told him that if such a plan were made they did not see how it could be upon other than the lines proposed for this organization. And they looked to the United States for the formation of such a body."

## GERMAN SOLDIERS HAVE BEGUN TO ASK FOOD FROM SWISS SOLDIERS

GENEVA, May 17.—Via Paris—German soldiers along the Swiss-Alsatian frontier chiefly elderly men of the landstrum, have begun to ask food from the Swiss soldiers. The Germans say they have not eaten meat in weeks.

Five German soldiers in uniform, altho fired upon, escaped across the Swiss frontier at Rodersdorf, near Basel yesterday. They were interned at Berne.

The Neue Stuttgarter Zeitung says the food situation in Rhine towns is becoming intolerable. The newspaper advises the government to take drastic measures to change the mode of living of the people. It suggests that cooking in private families be prohibited, that the population be ordered to eat in common at restaurants where meat would be served once daily, at noon and only vegetables in the evening.

## URGE STATE DEPARTMENT TO EXPEDITE SHIPMENT OF DYE

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—Resolutions urging the state department to expedite the shipment of 15,000 tons of aniline dye which is said to be available in Germany and asking congress to revise the tariff on knit goods to protect the American manufacturer were adopted at today's sessions of the National Association of Hosiery and Underwear manufacturers.

P. C. Withers of Mount Vernon, Ill., was elected president of the association.

## ENDORSE WILSON ADMINISTRATION

Lansing, Mich., May 17.—Michigan Democrats, at a harmonious state convention here today endorsed the administration of President Wilson and Governor Ferris and named delegates to the National convention who are pledged to vote for the re-nomination of the president.

## GERMAN TORPEDO BOAT SINKS.

Copenhagen, May 17.—Via London, May 18. A German torpedo boat has been sunk by a German mine off Falsterbo, Sweden, according to the Berlingske Tidnings Malmo correspondent. All but one man of the crew were saved.

## STOPS EXPORT OF MACARONI

Washington, May 17.—The pinch of war has caused Italy to put an embargo on the export of macaroni, one of the chief food products. A cablegram today from the American consul general at Genoa, telling of the embargo, said it would remain in force for an indefinite period.

## AMERICAN TROOPS RESCUE TWO AMERICANS CAPTURED BY BANDITS

Early Withdrawal of Punitive Expedition Directed by Col. Sibley, South of Boquillas, is Indicated.

San Antonio, Texas, May 17.—An early withdrawal of the punitive expedition directed by Col. Frederick Sibley, south of Boquillas, was indicated at department headquarters today. The rescue of Jesse Deemer, the storekeeper and Monroe Payne, the negro cook, who were carried across the border by bandits when they raided Glenn Springs and Boquillas, 12 days ago was reported today by Colonel Cibley, who received this information from Major Langhorne, reported that he was endeavoring to overtake the bandits who had eluded him at El Pino, from where he sent the report and where he found Deemer and Payne.

Officers here regarded it as probable that a successful encounter with the bandits would bring the expedition to an end. It was explained at headquarters that the four troops of cavalry and the machine company operating under Colonel Sibley south of the border was altogether inadequate for extended operations and that further pursuit of the bandits was unlikely.

Deemer and Payne had been left at El Pino by the retreating bandits with instructions to the residents that they be killed if an attempt to rescue was made. The residents of the village refused to obey instructions, professing their friendliness to the Americans when they entered the town yesterday morning.

Reports from General Pershing were characterized as routine. Information from Mexico indicated that the troop movement toward the border had assumed such magnitude as to indicate that before many days the number of Carranza troops in Northern Mexico would be even greater than General Oregon said he would send.

## JACKSONVILLE U. C. T. S. PLAN TRIP TO BLOOMINGTON MEETING

Local Council Will Be Well Represented at Annual Convention—National Worker Will Be Present From Ohio—Sessions Begin This Afternoon.

Among the local United Commercial Travelers and members of the ladies' auxiliary who plan to attend the annual U. C. T. convention in Bloomington, May 18-20, for at least a part of the time are, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Haigh, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Conover, L. H. Kraus, John D. Cain, H. A. Mortenson, C. H. Phileo, V. L. Lavery, C. F. Ehnie, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. George T. McKee, A. C. Jantzen, H. B. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Moore.

Over six hundred people are expected to be in attendance during the three days. The first session will be held at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the Masonic temple. The first event on the program for the ladies will be a reception starting at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Illinois hotel. From then until the convention hall comes to a close Saturday night at the Coliseum there will be no idle moments for the visitors. They are to be entertained each day and evening at different events provided by the U. C. T. residing in Bloomington.

A telegram was received Wednesday morning stating that W. E. Ford of the supreme executive council will arrive today from his home in Columbus, Ohio. He will represent the national organization at the state convention. It is an unusual thing for the national body to be represented in this manner at a state convention. The fact that he will be here brought joy to the camp of the Bloomington council, who believe they are going to be able to stage the greatest state U. C. T. convention that has ever been held.

The officers of the Grand Council of Illinois who will preside at the convention are Grand Counselor, W. J. Sullivan, Chicago; Grand Junior Counselor, Alvi Barnum, Peoria; Grand Past Counselor, F. F. Lovett, Decatur; Grand Secretary C. A. Wooley, Chicago; Grand Treasurer, T. W. Davis, Freeport; Grand Conductor, O. E. Bishop, Bloomington; Grand Page H. F. Boone, Springfield; Grand Sentinel W. E. Dorsey, Quincy; Grand Executive Committee, D. L. Barnett, Mendota; L. V. Lamm, Charleston; J. S. Bolton, Danville; L. W. Borton, Mario; Grand Chaplain C. A. Fiellin, Bloomington.

## RED MEN ADJOURN.

Springfield, Ill., May 17.—After installing officers elected yesterday members of the Improved Order of Red Men and the Degree of Pocahontas of Illinois adjourned the state convention here today. Reports of the committees showed the society to be growing steadily.

## OBREGON DENIES REPORT.

Mexico City, May 17.—General Alvaro Obregon, minister of war, today denied reports in circulation in the United States that he had expressed confidence that President Wilson did not contemplate war with Mexico.

## APPROVE REQUESTION.

Springfield, Ill., May 17.—A requisition from the governor of Michigan asking the return to Saginaw, Mich., of Bernard F. Sullivan to answer the charge of forgery was approved today. Sullivan is under arrest in Chicago.

## SENATE AGREES TO REPORT ON ARMY BILL

### HOUSE IS EXPECTED TO APPROVE MEASURE WITHIN A DAY OR TWO

Discussion Embraces Denunciation of England for Execution of Irish Revolutionists, Attacks on Mexican Policy and Assaults on National Guard as a Political Force.

Washington, May 17.—The senate after an all day debate, agreed tonight to a conference report on the army re-organization bill without a roll call. The house is expected to approve the report within a day or two, and send the first of the big national defense measures to the president.

The bill provides for a regular army of 211,000 officers and men at peace strength, and approximately 260,000 at war strength, and for a federalized national guard of 457,000 officers and men at maximum strength.

Discussion of the conference report embraced a denunciation of Great Britain for execution of the Irish revolutionists, attacks upon the administration's Mexican policy, renewed assaults upon the national guard as a political force and vigorous criticism of the provision for a government nitrate manufacturing plant. Senator Fall asserted that General Pershing with the 14,000 troops at his command, could march on to Mexico City, taking every town with little trouble if he were unhampered by orders from Washington, and that 90 per cent of the Mexican people would welcome such action. He also declared that representatives of General Carranza were negotiating with foreign governments against the United States and that this government would be forced to fight foreign forces on Mexican soil if it did not soon do its duty to the people of Mexico and the United States.

Senator Borah of Idaho, renewing his attack on the national guard as a political force declared that it would prove to be more detrimental to the United States than an invading army. He arraigned Great Britain for the Irish executions declaring there had been no greater blow to free institutions since the European war began.

Senator Lodge and Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee also criticized the army bill, the former blaming the house for not accepting a larger regular army proposed by the senate and the latter maintaining that the proposed army was too great. Senator Stone said he was so anxious to see the nitrate provision enacted that he would almost be willing to agree to any size army necessary but insisted there was no need of an increased army.

"I see no need now, nor at any time in our history for a large army," he said. "The enlargement provided would entail a very grave and useless burden. The only use for an army is to attack an enemy or defend our own soil. There isn't a senator nor a member of the house nor a man in any of the executive departments of the government who will say we are in danger of assault on land by an invading army of any country on earth."

Senator Brandegee, author of the amendment for a regular standing army of 250,000 men at peace strength which was rejected by the conference, declared that the English language was inadequate to express his disgust at the conference action and said he hoped the "good lord who guards the drunkard and the fool will save the nation."

Secretary Baker said tonight that as soon as President Wilson signed the bill he would begin consultations with the general staff to put the measure into effect. He began studying the conference report tonight, taking a copy with him on a trip to New York.

## RUSSIA'S COTTON CROP LARGER

Washington, May 17.—Russia's 1915 cotton crop, according to estimates reaching the department of commerce today was about 20 per cent larger than that of the year before. The total number of pounds grown was 717,500,000 against 608,000,000 pounds in 1914. Imports in 1915 from Persia and Kashgar amounted to 25,500,000 pounds, approximately the same as the year before.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

ILLINOIS: Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday, probably showers in extreme south portion Thursday and in south portion Friday.

Temperatures.		
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Wednesday were:		
Jacksonville	56	69 42
Boston	52	58 46
Buffalo	42	46 40
New York	54	58 42
New Orleans	74	80 66
Chicago	50	61 44
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ANDREW RUSSEL.

Speaking about church unions and churches in general reminds one of the recent statement before the Western Unitarian conference which was indeed notable and expressed the mission of the church quite forcibly. "Above all, we want a church that will identify morals not with mere restrictions, but with abundance of life; a church that will prove so indispensable in making life richer and in increasing its value that it will be as hard to keep people out of it as it is now to get them into it."

Indications are that the school election will rival all recent elections in interest. Let us hope that there will not be a bitterness of feeling engendered which it will take years to wipe out and prove detrimental to the schools. If all citizens—men and women—will bear in mind how important the welfare of the schools is to the whole community, some differences of opinion may be buried underneath this unanimity of sentiment to consider first of all, the schools and the school children.

With the memory of the recent election very clearly in mind, and the indications of the coming election already at hand, citizens of Jacksonville who think must be un-

## Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

### PUBLICITY

Please note this little fact, I beg: It is the hen that lays the egg; the rooster does the yelling; he flaps his silly wings and crows, and points with pride a while, and throws some fits around your dwelling. And every time I hear him whoop, and prance around the chicken coop, a feeling hankery, I think of husbands I have known, who think that they, and they alone, deserve the praise and glory. They would ignore the patient wives who organized their misfit lives, when they were badly sagging, who bore the burden of the day, and helped to cut the swath of hay of which the hubs are bragging. There's many a fellow known to fame who would have failed to win the game, but for some little woman, who, staying humbly in the dark, still made her old man toe the mark, with patience superhuman. And, having climbed from out the rut, how haughtily that old man struts, how proudly tells his story! The wife beholds that crowing gent, and softly smiles, for she's content with a reflected glory.



### DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

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pressed anew with the thought that this city's greatest need is to develop a co-operative spirit, and to put the soft pedal on jealousy and strife.

### Democrats Fear Hughes.

That the Democratic papers fear the nomination of Justice Hughes is indicated by the continued attacks made by some of the papers. The St. Louis Republic yesterday had a cartoon intended to convey the idea that the enthusiasts for Hughes were carrying the banner of a sphinx—a man "dumb as an oyster," who had given not the slightest idea of his views on any public question now considered of special importance.

While the statement is true that the justice has not gone into print in the discussion of some present day problems, the great majority of these supporters are basing their judgment of his fitness for the presidency on his record and his known general attitude on problems which have been vital to the interests of the country in past years. The attacks of the Democratic press in no way injure the Hughes candidacy and, in fact, the result is just the opposite of that intended and serves to bring his name and desirability into still greater prominence.

### New York's Mayor.

According to the Springfield, Mass. Republican, Mayor Mitchell has thus made a record which is a matter of pride: Mr. Mitchell has been able to make such an excellent showing that the newspapers usually censorious in their criticism of the municipal government have expressed considerable pride in the city's achievement. That no public scandal has thus far tainted the Mitchell administration is recognized as a high distinction, for even reform administrations in other days have experienced ill-fortune at some point. The police department has generally proved the undoing of New York mayors; but the fact that we have real difficulty in recalling who is the present police commissioner testifies to the fact that during the Mitchell administration "the force" has not been advertised thruout the United States as a nursery of grafters. It surely means something when the World begins to point with pride to the fact that New York is now "the best governed of all the large American cities." The improvement in New York has been noted by outsiders during the past 20 years, and no one who has observed the government of American cities would say that either Boston or Philadelphia or Chicago or St. Louis was the better governed town.

### Methodists to Unite.

While the action taken by the general Methodist conference at Saratoga Springs does not unite the Methodist Episcopal church with the Methodist Episcopal church South and the Methodist Protestant church the action does make well nigh certain that the union will be consummated in 1920. Church leaders believe after a thoro investigation of the subject that the action they have taken will be ratified by the Methodist Church South when their general conference convenes two years hence.

To those outside of Methodism, but who are interested at all in church affairs the action seems of the most reasonable kind and of a character very likely to strengthen all the branches of the church. The differences have not been of an essential or basic character and the fact that the leaders of the churches are able to arrive at a common ground of understanding is in accord with the sentiment of the times. Lines of denominational belief are not nearly so strictly drawn as was true some years ago and as these lines do disappear there comes a much better realization of the brotherhood of man. It's only the big essential things in right living and character which really count, and the same is true of churches. The general conference action will benefit not only the churches most concerned but other churches as well.



Jacksonville Lodge, No. 570, A. F. & A. M., will hold stated meeting tonight at 7:30. Also work. Visiting brethren welcome.

R. A. Hartman, W. M.  
E. L. Kinney, Secy.

### GOES TO MISSISSIPPI.

M. C. Poulsen of the Caldwell Engineering Co., left the first of the week for Booneville, Miss., where the firm recently received a contract for the engineering work on a fifteen mile stretch of hard road. S. J. Dalton, Jr., who went to Booneville several weeks ago, is completing a similar stretch of hard road.

### WILL GIVE ENTERTAINMENT.

Mrs. Spink's Circle will give an entertainment Thursday, May 18, at 8 p. m., in the Congregational church. Miss Gleckler of the Illinois Woman's College Faculty has given aer services for the evening and will be heard in miscellaneous readings. She will be assisted by Mrs. Ralph Hutchinson, pianist, and Mrs. Genevieve Clark Wilson, soloist. Admission 25c. Come and invite your friends.

### PARENT-TEACHERS' MEETING TODAY.

The Parent-Teachers' association of the First Ward will meet this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the Jefferson school. As this will be the last meeting of the year an election of officers will be held and a large attendance is desired.

## HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB ANNOUNCES NEW PROGRAM

Calendar for 1916-17 Contains Forecast of Interesting Meetings—Club Is Pioneer in Home Economics Study.

"Some Noted American Women" is the theme announced for special study next year by the Household Science club. Since its organization in 1885 the club has excelled in the matter of its programs and the calendar for 1916-17 shows that next year will be no exception.

The Household Science club was organized Feb. 27 on the birthday of the late Mrs. Harvey W. Milligan, who until the time of her death was one of its most active members. The club is one of the oldest woman's organizations in Illinois to study domestic science and kindred topics. The program is complete with exception of Feb. 20, when the thirty-second anniversary will be observed and a special speaker supplied. At the anniversary meeting Mrs. Harry Brady will be hostess.

The following are the officers of the club:

President—Mrs. G. C. Guthrie.  
Vice president—Miss Eliza Hughes  
Secretary—Mrs. Nelson McMurphy  
Treasurer—Mrs. George H. Putnam.

The committee on program was Mrs. J. A. Day, Mrs. E. P. Cleary and Mrs. G. C. Guthrie.

### Members of the Club.

There are twenty-four members of the Household Science club and one associate member, Miss Sue F. Ellis. The active members are Mrs. Harry Brady, Mrs. Frank Byrns, Mrs. W. S. Camp, Mrs. Truman P. Carter, Mrs. E. P. Cleary, Mrs. E. L. Crouch, Mrs. J. A. Day, Mrs. Mary M. Dunlap, Mrs. Frank Elliott, Mrs. Henry W. English, Mrs. R. A. Gates, Mrs. Kate B. Greenleaf, Mrs. G. C. Guthrie, Miss Eliza Hughes, Mrs. J. W. Lane, Mrs. Nelson McMurphy, Mrs. George H. Putnam, Mrs. Nancy Rawlins, Mrs. J. J. Reeve, Mrs. John Robertson, Mrs. George S. Rogerson, Mrs. Charles E. Scott, Mrs. Hugh Barr Smith and Mrs. Paul P. Thompson. The following is the program for the year:

September 19th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Day.  
Reminiscences of Summer—Leader, Mrs. Day.  
Household Topic: Cold Beverages—Mrs. Greenleaf.

October 17th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Guthrie.  
Jane Addams—Mrs. Byrns.  
Household Topic: Sunday Night Supper—Mrs. Gates.

November 21st.  
Hostess—Mrs. Dunlap.  
Dr. Anna Howard Shaw—Mrs. Reeve.

Household Topic: Casserole Recipes—Mrs. English.

January 16th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Byrns.  
Julia Ward Howe—Mrs. Putnam.  
Household Topic: High Cost of Living—Mrs. McMurphy.

February 20th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Brady.  
Open meeting—Program to be supplied.

March 20th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Rogerson.  
Clara Barton—Mrs. Cleary.  
Household Topic: Invalid Cookery—Mrs. Elliott.

April 7th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Scott.  
Frances E. Willard—Mrs. Thompson.

Household Topic: Hints on House Cleaning—Mrs. Rawlins.

May 15th.  
Hostess—Mrs. Putnam.  
Mary E. Wilkins-Freeman—Mrs. Carter.  
Household Topic: Planning the Week's Work—Mrs. Dunlap.

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### PISCAGAH

Miss Dorothy DeBols of near Alexander spent Sunday with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luckeman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luckeman and Roy Dyer and family spent Sunday at the home of T. J. Luckeman.

Miss Esther Samples spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Samples.

The young people of this vicinity, last Sunday night organized a "Young People's Bible Class" for every Sunday evening.

C. R. Caldwell, while repairing the elevator at Piscagah had the misfortune to smash his thumb badly.

Miss Alberta Davenport spent a part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Will Evans and family in Franklin.

### CROSS ROADS.

Miss Sarah Reese spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reese.

A little daughter has come to make its home with Mr. and Mrs. William Vasey near Cross Roads. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

H. H. McGee near Woodson motored to Jacksonville last Thursday in Mrs. Scott's Willys-Knight car.

Henry Reese and T. H. Scott donated five coons to Nichols park last week. They were caught near the house.

Th. Asbury Aid will meet with Mrs. George Newman, Jr., Thursday, the 18th. It will be an all day affair.

C. E. Reynolds was calling on Jacksonville friends last Saturday.

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### SUFFERED SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Albert Newsome, formerly of this city and now of Los Angeles, Cal., had recently a serious accident while riding on his motorcycle, according to a letter from Mrs. Newsome received by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood of this city. Mr. Newsome, in order to avoid running over an aged

lady, crashed into the curbing and was thrown over the handle bars of his machine. His head struck a brick wall and when the letter was written, Mr. Newsome was unconscious in a Los Angeles hospital.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

Everything sacrificed at Worfolk's closing out sale. Miss Agnes Briggs of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday. Closing out clothing and fixtures, everything must go. Worfolk's. John Holliday of Salem, Ill., was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mrs. W. J. Wyatt of Franklin was a caller on city people yesterday. Oliver Baker of Versailles was a visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday. DIAMOND CUFF LINKS, \$2.50 and up. EDWARD D. HEINL, THREE DAY SALE. J. N. Kennedy was attending to business matters in Alton yesterday. Dr. J. M. Swope of Arenzville was

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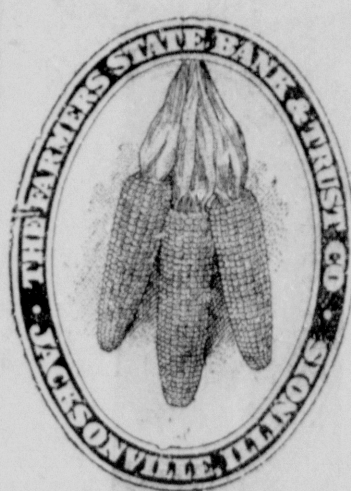
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**TOM H. BUCKTHORPE**

a visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Hill of the vicinity of  
Lynnville was a city shopper yester-

day. Mrs. Hallie Gibson of Franklin  
was a caller on city friends yester-

day. Paul P. Thompson was a visitor in  
East St. Louis and St. Louis yester-

day. Benjamin Matthews of Pittsfield  
was among Wednesday visitors in the

city. Shakespeare Festival, "The Tem-

pest," I. C. Campus, May 23.

Miss Stella Richards of Murray-

ville was shopping in the city yester-

day. Mrs. E. Doyle of Beardstown  
was a caller on city friends yester-

day. P. J. Woulfe of the south part of  
the county was a city caller yester-

day. Mrs. John King of Beardstown  
was one of the city's shoppers yester-

day. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Atkins of  
Bluffs were callers yesterday on city

friends. Henry Deppe of Meredosia  
was added to the list of city arrivals yester-

day. A \$15,000 STOCK OF DIAMONDS  
placed on sale for three days only.

EDWARD D. HEINL.

Mrs. J. B. Corrington of the region of  
Alexander was a city shopper yester-

day. Mr. and Mrs. George Ruble helped  
represent Alexander in the city yester-

day. J. A. Brown and family were rep-

resentatives of Alexander in the city  
yesterday. Mrs. Tim Murphy of Murrayville  
had some shopping to do in the city

yesterday. Mrs. C. E. Neal of Arcadia  
was added to the list of city arrivals

yesterday. Menzie's work shoes at Hopper's.

Joseph Rogers of Carterville was  
transacting business in the city

yesterday. Walter Adkins of Prentice  
was among the business men of the city

yesterday. Miss Dovie Corrington of the east  
part of the county was a city visitor

yesterday. WE MUST HAVE THE CASH, so  
our great stock of diamonds especially

priced for three days. EDWARD  
D. HEINL.

Samuel Abernathy of Concord was  
a caller on Jacksonville merchants

yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill of the  
vicinity of Lynnville were city call-

ers yesterday. Mrs. Louise Whiting of Beard-

town was among the arrivals in the  
city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cocking of Al-

exander were among the city shop-

pers yesterday. TO REDUCE MY STOCK AM  
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Mrs. E. S. Greenleaf and son  
helped represent Alexander in the

city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. William Weedon of  
the vicinity of Merritt were city vis-

itors yesterday. Howard Powell has been employ-

ed at the store of J. Herman as  
delivery clerk. Andrew Johnson of the region of

Literberry was a visitor with city  
friends yesterday. Miss Elizabeth North of Winches-

ter was a shopper with city mer-

chants yesterday. Andrew Johnson of the vicinity of

Literberry made a business trip to  
the city yesterday. WE MUST HAVE THE CASH, so  
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priced for three days. EDWARD  
D. HEINL.

Mrs. E. E. Whitney of Beard-

town was one of the shoppers in  
the city yesterday. J. F. Jordan and daughters were in  
the city yesterday from the neigh-

borhood of Ebenezer. George Wheeler of the precinct  
of Sinclair had business to see to in  
the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Petefish of Cass  
county were added to the list of city

arrivals yesterday. Mrs. Joel Strawn of the east part  
of the county was one of the city's

arrivals yesterday. Henry Mosely and Frank Wiggin-

lost were city arrivals yesterday  
from Pisgah precinct. I. C. May Day, May 23. College  
Campus, 7:00 p. m.

Walter Huston of the northwest  
part of the county was a caller on  
city friends yesterday. Frank Rockwood of the region of  
Winchester was transacting business  
in the city yesterday. W. B. Riggs of Mt. Sterling was  
a visitor with some of his Jackson-

ville friends yesterday. Mr. and rs. Albert Crum of Liter-

berry were shoppers with Jackson-

ville merchants yesterday. Mrs. Charles Mathews of the east  
part of the county was a shopper  
with city friends yesterday. John Jordan and daughters of the  
Ebenezer neighborhood were  
callers on city people yesterday. W. W. Holliday, general manager  
of the Illinois Telephone company,  
was a visitor Wednesday in Man-

chester. Miss Susie Wells was in the city  
Wednesday enroute to her home in  
Bethel after visiting her sister in  
Jerseyville. WE MUST HAVE THE CASH, so  
our great stock of diamonds especially

priced for three days. EDWARD  
D. HEINL.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith and  
sons Clyde and Owen, residents of  
the vicinity of Grace Chapel, were in  
the city yesterday. Mrs. Robert Smith of South Church  
street left Wednesday afternoon for  
Beardstown, where she will be a  
guest of her daughter, Mrs. Swain  
Marshall. Mrs. Harold Barnes, of Ashland,  
Ind., was a visitor in the city Wed-

nesday while on her way to Litch-

field to visit her sister, Mrs. A. S.  
Hawkins. Rev. V. P. Mitchell of Weedman  
was in the city yesterday on his  
way to Merritt to attend the funeral  
of a former parishioner. The young  
minister is still pursuing his studies  
and preaching at the same time. He  
found a good many in the city glad  
to welcome him. Fred L. Stevens returned to St.  
Louis yesterday after being here a  
day or two looking after his place  
north of the city where he once lived  
and carried on the chicken business  
somewhat extensively. While here he  
called on several old friends. Tho  
well along in years Mr. Stevens is  
still hale and hearty and bids fair  
to live a good while yet. Trinity Church Utility sale and  
market, Saturday, May 20th at Par-

ish Hall. James Haddock and family have  
removed to this city from White  
Hall and reside at 613 East College  
avenue and Mr. Haddock has en-

tered the employ of the Standard Oil  
company as driver. Before leaving  
White Hall their friends tendered  
them a reception which was largely  
attended showing the good will felt  
for them in their former home. John McDowd of Mt. Sterling was  
a visitor with Jacksonville friends  
yesterday. William Kirk of Kirksville, Mis-

souri, was in the city yesterday call-

ing on friends and acquaintances. Edward Fanning of Decatur was  
among the city visitors yesterday. Mrs. John Flynn and sons Edward  
and Frank arrived in the city yester-

day from Clemens Station. Dr. H. L. Day of Bluffs was  
among the business men of the city  
yesterday. John Fleming of Springfield had  
occasion to visit the city yesterday.

E. E. Buchanan of Galesburg was  
a traveler on business to the city  
yesterday. J. H. Connolly of Quincy was called  
to the city yesterday by business  
interests. Milton North of Decatur jour-

neyed to the city on business yester-

day. Roy Nickel of Concord made a  
business trip to the city yesterday. Dr. Phillip Gillett Cole of Helena,  
Mont., is in the city for a visit with  
his grandmother, Mrs. Ellen M. Gil-

lett, at the State School for the Deaf.

Mrs. J. H. McCune of Ipava is in  
the city for a brief visit with Miss  
Eleanor Moore at her home on West  
State street. GRADUATION GIFTS.

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## SOCIAL EVENTS

Social Evening for  
Union Nurses.

The Nurse's and Attendant's Un-

ion, No. 14714 of the Jacksonville  
State Hospital, held a social and busi-

ness meeting Wednesday evening in  
amusement hall. About seventy-

five members attended the meeting  
and an enjoyable time was had by  
all. The regular business meeting

was called at seven o'clock and after  
that the hall was given over to a  
card game. Two prizes were of-

fered, and Mr. and Mrs. Chapman  
were winners. After the card game  
Mr. Fisher gave a piano solo and  
furnished music for dancing. Ice  
cream and refreshments were also  
served and all enjoyed themselves  
thoroly. Mrs. Phillee Hostess  
to Women of U. C. T.

Members of the Woman's club of  
the United Commercial Travelers,  
were pleasantly entertained Wed-

nesday afternoon by Mrs. C. H. Phil-

lee at her home, 802 West Lafayette  
avenue. The May day idea was car-

ried out, both in the decorations and  
refreshments. The colors employ-

ed were yellow and white. In ad-

dition to the members there were  
present three special guests. Mrs. Phillee was assisted in the  
entertaining by Mrs. Charles K.  
Moore. Mrs. P. W. Stephens  
Is Given Surprise.

A pleasant surprise was tendered  
Mrs. Percy W. Stephens at her home  
on Diamond court Wednesday even-

ing by members of Helen Rawlings  
chapter, the World Wide Guild. Im-

mediately after the prayer meeting  
service the young women went to  
the pastoral residence and by the

time Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens  
arrived, were safely withia. As a  
token of regard the guests gave Mrs.  
Stephens several fine records for the  
Victrola. It was thru Mrs. Stephens that a  
chapter of the World Wide Guild  
was founded in Jacksonville and on  
this account was the observance of  
her coming departure the more fit-

ting. Sodality Members Enjoy  
Victrola Entertainment.

Young ladies of the Sodality of  
the Blessed Virgin and the Sodality  
of the Immaculate Conception en-

joyed a Victrola evening Wednesday  
in Routt college auditorium. Ex-

planation of the numbers was given  
by Rev. Father Formaz, who also  
gave a brief sketch of the authors  
of the several selections. Some of  
the greatest musical artists were  
included in the records played and  
the entertainment as a whole proved  
enjoyable in high degree. Sinclair Country  
Club Holds Meeting.

Members of the Sinclair Country  
club held their regular meeting Wed-

nesday afternoon at the home of  
Mrs. Robert Hopper. The roll call  
was answered to with names of ar-

tists and the paper of the afternoon,  
"Famous Pictures," was presented  
by Mrs. Lester Hart. Mrs. Thornton

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gave an interesting reading and fol-  
lowing the program a social time was  
enjoyed when refreshments were  
served. Miss Bertha Mason  
Entertains Students.

Miss Bertha Mason, who has been  
training of the boys of the Eighth  
Grade, who recently defeated the  
Seventh Grade students in athletic  
contests, was hostess to the winning  
team Wednesday afternoon in the  
domestic science room of the David  
Prince building. The boys were tak-

en by surprise by Miss Mason, as  
they were not invited until yester-

day noon but they were not to be out  
done and presented their hostess  
with beautiful bouquet of roses and  
a box of candy. Among those pres-

ent at the spread were Earl Fitch,  
captain of the team, and toastmaster  
for the afternoon, Assistant Captain  
Fred Lucas, Alfred Eades, Herbert  
Eades, Robert Allen, John Pyatt,  
Wallace Smith, Harry Fernandes,  
Glanville Camp, Donald Ransdall,  
Nellis Sanders, Ole Penstemmer,  
Byron Shibe, Walter Sullivan, New-

port (Houck), Charles Cobb, Keith  
Hagen, William Cruzan, Clarence  
Muehlhausen, Robert Straight, John  
Bryson, Paul Herman, Miss Ethel  
Wylder, Miss Dawson, Miss Cafky,  
Miss Johnson, Mr. Collins and Mr.  
Maddox were also guests. All of  
the boys present were called on by  
the toastmaster and all responded  
in an able manner telling of their  
appreciation of what Miss Mason  
had by her efforts accomplished for  
them and of her time and work.  
The afternoon was an enjoyable event  
from every standpoint.

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## FUNERALS

Bateman  
The funeral of Mrs. Jesse T. Bat-

eman was held Wednesday afternoon  
at 1 o'clock at Waverly Christian  
church, in charge of the Rev. Sid-

ney M. Bedford, the pastor. Approp-

iate music was furnished by the  
choir. There were in attendance  
friends in large number both from  
Waverly and the country surround-

ing to manifest toward the deceased  
this last token of respect. Burial was made in Franklin  
cemetery. The bearers were Wil-

liam Luttrell, Ed Ashbaugh, I. H.  
Wendling, Ed. Butcher, John New-

man and Wilson Smith. Mansfield  
Funeral services for Isaac Mans-

field were held Wednesday after-

noon at 1 o'clock at the family home  
in Franklin, in charge of the Rev.  
E. S. Vorbeck, pastor of the Meth-

odist church. The choir of the  
church furnished music. The church  
was well filled by friends of Mr.  
Mansfield and the services thruout  
were most impressive. The floral  
gifts were in charge of Misses Lois  
Mansfield, Alice Shriver, Maude Van  
Winkle and Verne Lewis. Burial was made in Franklin cem-

etery. The bearers were Lee Cald-

well, C. W. Olinger, A. H. Wright,  
William Brewer, Mr. Clark and War-

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Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Wells and  
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bors and friends, to the teachers and  
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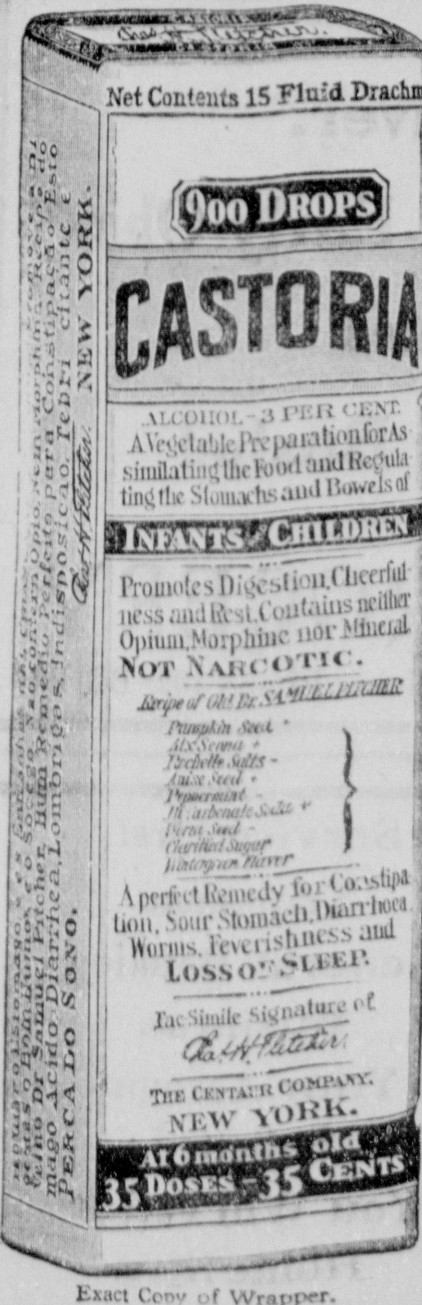
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## SECOND WARD PARENT TEACHERS ASSOCIATION HELD MEETING

New Officers Chosen for Coming Year's Work—Program of Folk Dances by Pupils Proved Attractive Feature.

The Parent-Teachers' association of the second ward held the last meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon at the Lafayette school. At the business session held in the school building reports were presented indicating the completion of a successful year's work by the association. Officers for the coming year were chosen as follows:

President—Mrs. Kitty Reid.  
Vice president—Miss Agnes Paxton.

Secretary—Mrs. James Conover.  
Treasurer—Miss Elie Pyatt.

A very enjoyable feature of the afternoon program was a series of folk dances given on the school lawn by pupils of the school under direction of the teacher. The program of dances follows:

Kull-Dans—Fifth grade girls.  
Gustaf-Skal—First grade pupils.  
How Do You Do—Fourth grade pupils.

Kindler Polke—Third grade pupils.  
Chimes of Dunkirk—Second grade girls.

Reap the Flax—Sixth grade girls.  
Norwegian Mountain Climb—Third grade pupils.

Klap-Dans—Second grade pupils.  
The Needles' Eye—First grade pupils.

The dances were all given in an artistic, graceful way and the company thoroughly enjoyed this part of the program.

**NEW TENNIS RACKETS.**  
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## MATRIMONIAL

**Jacks-Harkins.**  
Charles Jacks of St. Louis and Miss Eva Harkins of Waverly were married Wednesday at noon by the Rev. M. L. Pantius at Central Christian church parsonage on West College avenue. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lucretia Roberts of Waverly. The bride is a daughter of the late Charles A. Harkins. The groom holds a clerical position in St. Louis.

**NATIONAL CONVENTION DELEGATES**  
Jacksonville friends of W. H. Clifford, now a resident of Palestine, Tex., will be interested in knowing that he was elected a delegate to the national republican convention in Chicago. The district convention met recently at Trinity, Tex., and Mr. Clifford was one of the two men chosen. Edward Clifford of Chicago is also a delegate to the convention and at the election held some weeks ago received something more than 11,000 votes, distancing each of his two competitors by several thousand.

**TOMORROW'S PROGRAM.**  
Tomorrow's program for the W. I. H. S. L. will be as follows:  
Declamation contest at 9:30 o'clock at the Opera House.  
Track Meet at College Field at one o'clock.  
Senior play, "All of a Sudden Peggy," at Opera House, 8 o'clock.

**NEW CREAMERY SIGN.**  
A 75-foot sign has recently been completed for the Jacksonville Creamery Co. The sign is done in black and white along the base of the driveway shed.

**RAN AUTO WITHOUT LIGHTS.**  
Frank Rexroat of Hardin avenue was arrested Tuesday for running his automobile without lights.

## SENIOR PLAY BY J. H. S. STUDENTS FRIDAY NIGHT AT OPERA HOUSE

Events of High School League Meet Will Be Brought to Fitting Climax by Presentation of "All of a Sudden Peggy" by Well Trained Cast.

"All of a Sudden Peggy," an amusing three act comedy by Ernest Denry will be presented Friday night at the Grand Opera House by a cast of seniors from the Jacksonville high school. With the contest in declamation during the forenoon hours, the Western Illinois High School League meet in the afternoon and the senior class play in the evening Friday promises to be an exceedingly busy day.

Miss Jeannette Taylor, director of the play, has trained the cast well and this charming drama of English life will make a fitting climax for the days activities.

Anthony, Lord Crackenthorpe—Russell Pinkerton.  
The Hon. Jimmy Keppel (his brother)—William Floreth.  
Maj. Archie Phipps (retired)—Dawson Darley.

Jack Menzies—Le Fount Andrews.  
Parker, the footman at Hawkhurst—James Haigh.

Lucas, man servant at Jimmy's flat—Walton Bland.  
Lady Crackenthorpe, Lord C's mother—Gladys Andre.

The Hon. Millicent Keppel—Esther Davis.  
The Hon. Mrs. Colquhoun—Dorothy Rogerson.

Mrs. O'Mara, widow of Prof. O'Mara, F. R. S.—Helen Obermeyer.  
Peggy (her daughter)—Helen Strandberg.

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## WITH THE SICK.

R. R. Reynolds of Perry was in the city Wednesday to accompany home his daughter, Miss Anna Reynolds, who has been ill at Passavant hospital.

Miss Nina Rich of Arenzville, who for several days past has been a patient at Passavant hospital, was able to return to her home Wednesday. She was accompanied by her father, William Rich.

Miss Sophie Shirlpeltz and Miss Isabel Knox of the Passavant hospital staff were visitors in St. Louis Wednesday.

Miss Lucile Sperry will go this forenoon to Chandlerville, where she is forming a class for art study during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howard and son, Clark of Peoria, who have been at the home of Mrs. C. E. Williams of South Main street and have visited Mrs. B. H. Nunes and little daughter, Hazel Louise, will leave this morning for a visit in Nebo and Pleasant Hill.

**ROODHOUSE ALUMNI BANQUET**  
Roodhouse, Ill., May 17.—The annual banquet of Roodhouse high school alumni was held Tuesday evening at 8:45 o'clock in the Knights of Pythias lodge room. J. H. Pursifull, principal of the school, was toastmaster and called upon a number for toasts. The catering was done by H. J. Frede.

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH.**  
Rev. Edward Fawcett, Bishop of Quincy, acting for the Bishop of Springfield, will hold confirmation services at Trinity church tonight at 7:30. All are invited.

## HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD AT ASHLAND

Eight Graduates Receive Diplomas at the Methodist Church—Prof. Hollister Made Address.

The twenty-eighth annual commencement exercises of the Ashland high school were held at the Methodist church there Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The graduating class includes Mary Atterberry, Myrtle Carter, Edith Votsmeier, Mary McGough, William Kennedy, Alfred Cosner, Frank Davey and Rainey Caswell. The program for the graduating exercises was as follows:

Music, selected, high school orchestra.  
Invocation, Rev. Ben Johnson.

Music, double quartet.  
Vocal solo, Anna M. Rawls.

Address, "Ideals of American Citizenship," Prof. H. A. Hollister, University of Illinois.

Music, Girls' Glee club.  
Presentation of diplomas, Dr. W. S. Taylor, president of the board of education.

Benediction, Rev. J. E. Artz.  
Music, selected, orchestra.

## SOME FARM TOPICS

### To Vaccinate 158 Hogs.

Bert Way, who is operating the M. O. Matthews farm in the Concord neighborhood in connection with Mr. Matthews, was in the city Wednesday. They are devoting special attention to hog raising on the farm and at the present time have 356 of varying sizes and ages. They are all thoroughbred Poland China stock. Mr. Way and Mr. Matthews both believe in vaccination and Friday the spring pigs, 158 in number, will be vaccinated. While experiences of all stockmen with vaccination have not been wholly successful, Mr. Way believes that vaccination is the best plan for keeping hogs free from cholera and that good results will be obtained if the serum used is pure.

They have ninety acres of corn on the Matthews farm and all but a very few acres has been planted, the recent rains making it necessary to leave a portion of one field unplanted. A heavy rain fell after most of the corn was planted and as a result Mr. Way went over the field with a rotary hoe. This he prefers to a harrow for such purposes, as the soil is thus loosened for the plant to come thru. Sometimes after a rain the crust formed is so hard that the tender shoot from the grain of corn cannot struggle thru to the surface. The rotary hoe remedies this difficulty. A harrow will not answer the purpose because the teeth do not reach down into the little furrows in which the seed has been planted.

## FRANKLIN.

Mrs. W. McDougall of Greenville arrived Tuesday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Geo. Jolly and son Everett McDougall.

Miss Nellie Scott of Decatur is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. J. Cullom.

Miss Ruth Baumgartner who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. O. B. Mounce, has returned to her home at Pleasant Plains.

Mrs. Chas. White of Jacksonville arrived Wednesday for a visit with her grandparents, P. A. Sturgis and wife.

Mrs. John Whorton and little son of Herrin are visiting her father, W. S. Cross.

Langley Wright and wife who have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wright left Monday for their home in San Diego, Calif.

Oscar Harmon and wife of the west side, ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rees.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Keplinger entertained the Seniors, Juniors and teachers of the high school last Thursday evening.

## PRESENT FAVORABLE REPORT

Washington, May 17.—A favorable report on the motion picture censorship bill was presented to the house today by the education committee. A minority report will be filed later in the week.

Accompanying the report today was a copy of a letter from several leading producers endorsing the measure.

## RETURNS TO NEBO

Mrs. Adeline Woodward has returned to her home in Nebo after a pleasant visit at the home of her niece, Mrs. Charles Williams of South Main street.

## A GOOD POULTRY RECORD

Mrs. H. S. Taylor of Arnold recently had a total of 115 chicks hatch from 139 eggs. Mrs. Taylor is naturally much pleased with this record.

Dr. Walter L. Frank was a professional visitor Tuesday in Winchester, where he recently opened an office for eye, ear, nose and throat practice.

## BURLINGTON ANNOUNCES INCREASE.

Omaha, Neb., May 17.—The Burlington railroad announced an increase in wages today to all employees of five per cent, effective for May.

## CONFIRMS REIDS' NOMINATION.

Washington, May 17.—Today the senate confirmed the nomination of Eugene E. Reid of New Hampshire as a member of the Philippine commission.

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## SEVERAL PLEADED GUILTY IN CIRCUIT COURT WEDNESDAY

Arguments Heard in Strawn and Robertson Suits—Docket Set For Coming Week.

In the circuit court Wednesday a number of men indicted by the recent grand jury and who desired to enter pleas of guilty were arraigned. Henry Sheldon, who was charged with forgery, entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced for an indeterminate period to Chester penitentiary. Lawrence Logan was indicted on a charge of larceny and entered a plea of guilty and was also sentenced to Chester. John Flarity, who was indicted with him, entered a plea of not guilty and is to have a trial the coming week. W. L. Armstrong has been appointed by the court to defend Flarity. The case resulted from a theft of a hide from the C. & A. depot at Murrayville some months ago.

Manuel James, who broke into a number of houses in the third ward some time since, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of burglary and larceny and was sent to Pontiac reformatory. In the case of Willie Gray, who has frequently been in court on the charge of petty larceny, sentence of ten days in jail and a fine of \$1 was imposed. Henry Burner was sent to jail for six months and ordered to pay a fine of \$200 on the charge of pandering. The fine and costs will be withheld under an order for a capias pro fine.

The argument in the case of John R. Robertson against the estate of Julius Strawn, which is being heard jointly with the suit brought by the administrator of the same estate against Mr. Robertson, was begun before Judge Burton and will be concluded today.

## Points in Joint Case

John A. Bellatti made the opening argument on behalf of Mr. Robertson and this morning Judge Brockhouse will open for the Strawn estate. Judge Layman and Walter Bellatti are also to speak for Mr. Robertson and W. T. Wilson will close for the estate. The claim of Mr. Robertson against the Strawn estate is based on a bill for services rendered during a period of nine years at the rate of \$1,000 per year, and a check for \$21,000 drawn in 1904, with interest thereon. These two items make a total claim of about \$33,000. The attorneys for the estate have sought to show that this check was not intended for payment and instead was a part of some transaction between Mr. Strawn and Mr. Robertson in the settlement of some bank affair.

The suit of the estate against Mr. Robertson is the result of a series of ten notes amounting to about \$35,000 given by Mr. Robertson to Mr. Strawn a few months before the death of the latter. It is maintained by the estate that these notes were given in final settlement of various transactions between Mr. Strawn and Mr. Robertson extending thru a period of years. It has been shown by Mr. Robertson's attorneys that he handled Mr. Strawn's affairs thru a considerable period of years and lent for Mr. Strawn at least \$300,000. It was shown that for seven years prior to his death Mr. Strawn had never attended a meeting of the Jacksonville National bank directors and had not been seen at the bank more than once during that time.

Mr. Robertson's attorneys claim that even aside from any salary agreement with Mr. Strawn, that in handling loans that Mr. Robertson was entitled under ordinary business rules to a two per cent commission. The estate showed by witnesses that in some instances Mr. Robertson when making a loan was paid a fee by the person who borrowed the money.

State's Attorney Haigrove has nolle prossed the case against Glenn Whitlock, Merle Abernathy and Randolph Ball charged with burglary and larceny. The boys were arrested on complaint of the C. B. & Q. authorities who charged them with certain thefts at Concord. Later it was the desire of the road not to prosecute and the state's attorney accorded with this action. Ella Reavis, Walter Haxton, Myrtle Allen Hagerty and Earl Taylor were all indicted by the grand jury for liquor selling and will be tried at the present term.

The docket for next week will be as follows:

**Monday, May 22.**  
People vs. Pauline M. Teasley, appeal; assault and battery.  
People vs. Joe Megginson, assault and battery.

**Tuesday, May 23.**  
People vs. Art Andrews and Mike Hopper, burglary and larceny.  
People vs. Lucinda Winterbottom, assault and battery.

People vs. Adolph Donnelly, false pretense and forgery.  
**Wednesday, May 24.**

People vs. John Crawley, burglary and larceny.  
People vs. Edward J. Brazie, false pretense.


People vs. Adolph Donnelly, alias A. N. Donnelly, forgery.  
**Thursday, May 25.**

People vs. Fred Shannon, burglary and larceny.  
People vs. Fred Shannon, larceny.


People vs. Fred Shannon, assault with intent to kill.  
**Friday, May 26.**

People vs. Edward J. Brazie, forgery.


**FIRST TWILIGHT GAME.**  
The first game of the season by the Twilight Baseball league was played Tuesday by the Agoga Bible class and the Press club, the Press club winning, 10 to 4. Batteries were Williams and Corbridge for the Agogas and Smith and Marshall for the Press club.




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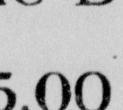
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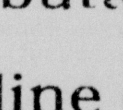
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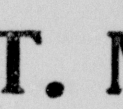
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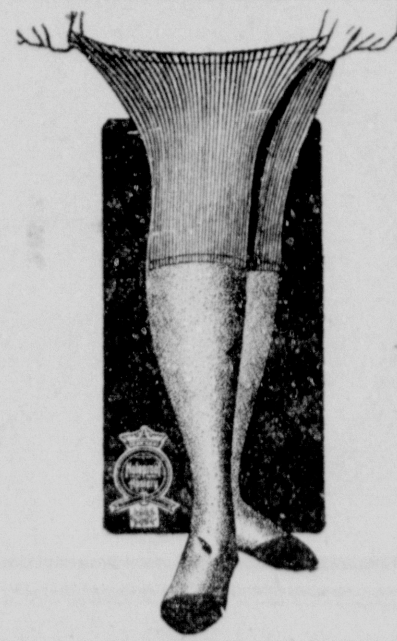
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Ladies' 50c Union Suits .39c  
Ladies' \$3.00 Italian Silk Combinations \$1.50  
50c Initial Stationery, Cards and Letter paper .10c  
\$1.00 Stamped Gowns .65c  
10c Air Float Talcum .5c  
\$1.00 Feather Boas .50c  
\$1.00 Colored Long Silk Gloves .69c

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Men's 50c Work Shirts .42c  
50c Kimona Sleeve Aprons .39c  
\$1.00 House Dresses .89c  
10c Engraved Band Tumblers .5c  
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## OLD JACKSONVILLE

"Jacksonville News" of 1834

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### An Old Paper.

"The Jacksonville News" of Aug. 26, 1834, was No. 22 of Vol. 1. By R. Goudy—publisher, and C. M. Woods, editor. It was a sheet of five rather wide columns, and the paper was a twenty inch. There being four pages. Under the headline were these words: "The World—in a folio of four pages." The paper was clearly printed, and had some good large type. Two dollars and a half was the subscription price—in advance. "Most kinds of Country Produce will be received for subscriptions, at the market prices."

On the first page was Poetry, Scientific, Agricultural, and Miscellaneous selections. The last column had "A glance at Illinois"—We copy the following from the Rev. J. M. Peck's Gazetteer of Illinois—a valuable work which will be issued from this office in a few weeks, &c. &c." This covers six counties as described by Dr. Peck, and fills also the first column on the second page. It is to be feared that one is telling an office, or a family secret, when it is stated that this extract from Peck served to advertise the coming book, and to save setting two columns of fresh matter, as these words were directly from the book itself.

The second column of the second page, had at its head a goodlooking lady, with wings, who carried a partly opened scroll in her right hand, on which was inscribed "News," and from her left hand another scroll was unfurled and flying about her which said: "Improvement, Intelligence and Justice are our aim." The three columns next are given up to editorial notes, selections, nearly a column of "Foreign News" items, and some general items.

The last column of the second page is given up to an editorial headed

### "The Far West."

It reads as follows:  
"Mr. F. S. Dickinson, in an address delivered before an Agricultural Society in Northampton, Mass., holds the following language:

"While the cultivator of the rich alluvials, and extensive prairies of the west shall be pale with age, and inactive and slothful, by reason of the richness of his soil, his farm unfenced and overspread with weeds and wild growth; the more favored son of New England shall be muscular and strong, energetic and enterprising, intelligent and moral; enjoying the fruits of his industry, in a salubrious atmosphere, and blest with a surrounding group of healthful, intelligent, well instructed children. Nature is uniform in her operations. A soil so rich as the valley of the Mississippi, has everywhere produced the consequences of idleness. Men will not work hard when they can live easy."

"That part of Asia where once was the garden of Eden, where was the promised land; Italy where was Rome, so proud of her orators, statesmen and conquerors; the valley of the Mississippi, with its present population, illustrate this truth."

"As sure as the connection between cause and effect, unless causes hitherto inoperative, shall exert a mighty and controlling influence, this great and proud valley must and will hereafter slumber unblest."

Had Mr. Dickinson traveled thru the Western states, and stood as we have done, upon a large mound, where the eye might wander over an extended rolling or undulating prairie, which makes a gradual descent for perhaps a mile, and then rises very gently for about the same distance, like a broad—heavy—swell of the ocean, after a storm—and seen large and fertile fields, under a high state of cultivation, divided off by fences eight rails high, well staked and ridged; a luxuriant crop waving before the wind; and an air of neatness, taste and order predominant over the whole; had he called at the dwelling, and partaken of the open-hearted hospitality of the proprietor, and witnessed the hardy, healthy cheerful appearance of all its inmates; had he seen the proprietor at his business, REALLY INDUSTRIOUS, active, enterprising, closely attentive to his business, and officiously generous; had he known the hardships some of our citizens have had to endure in past years; had he seen villages springing up as by enchantment; had he viewed our principal ports, and seen two hundred and thirty steamboats, many of a very large size, that navigate our rivers, carrying in the aggregate, about 29,000 tons—we think he would never have told of the "pale, inactive and slothful" cultivators of the West, nor instance the "present population of the valley of the Mississippi" as a people devoted to idleness and ease. And this is no fancy sketch; nor is it a solitary example. It is rare indeed that the eye is offended with the slovenly appearance of farms and fences occurring so often in the East.

The people who are crowding to this great and proud valley are not of a race to sit down in sloth and inactivity, and to "slumber unblest."

It might be remarked in this connection that a descendant of one of the founders of Northampton, Mass., has dwelt for the past forty-two years in this interesting region, in Jacksonville.

The first, second and third columns of the third page have refer-

ences to Mexico; the death of Hon. Charles Slade, member of Congress; the cholera; description of the burial place of LaFayette; deaths and hot weather in the east; extract from a letter regarding Jackson; The Mormon War (in Missouri); and some poetry.

### Illinois College.

At the foot of the page is this: "The Annual Commencement of the Illinois College will take place on Wednesday, 17th of Sept. next. Vacation after it eight weeks."

By order of the Faculty.  
(Signed.) T. M. Post.  
The Illinois State Lyceum will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, 18th of Sept. next, the day following the commencement of the Illinois College. Editors in this state will confer a favor by giving the above an insertion.

Illinois College, Aug. 9, 1834."

### Camp Meeting.

On the last column of the third page of the "News" was this announcement:

"The Protestant Methodists will hold a Camp Meeting, commencing the 29th day of August, three miles north of Jacksonville, on the land of Mr. Joseph Smith, near the Beardstown road."

### Various Notices.

"Married—In Jacksonville, on the 26th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Hedenberg, Dr. Francis Regnier, of Sangamon county to Miss Ann Sophia Goldsmith, of Harrisburg, Pa.

Died—In this town, last evening, Jane, youngest child of Dr. James Finley.

—On College Hill on Thursday evening, the 14th instant, Miss Sarah C. Graves, aged 15 years, daughter of Mr. Jeremiah Graves.

—On Monday evening, the 4th inst., at the residence of Mr. Heslep, Mr. Thompson McNeilly, for several years a respectable citizen of this place.

### A Card.

Miss E. Blood wishes to inform her friends and patrons, that she will resume her School the first Monday in September next, in the room in the rear of D. B. Ayers' store.—Terms as usual. (Back end of the old red brick.)

### Wanted.

An apprentice will be taken to the Printing Business, if application be made immediately at the News Office, Jacksonville, Aug. 26, 1834."

Then followed an "ad" of "Tin and Sheet Iron Ware Manufactory, Meeker and Matthews."

W. Knuclos has 878 acres of land for sale, 3 1-2 miles from here, also "I have a small quantity of the best blooded cattle in Illinois &c."

Levi Harlan vs. Wm. Roberts, Obadiah Waddell and Jno. D. Turner vs. Samuel Bogart and Asa Cook; Thomas W. Melindy, compt' against Sarah Gest, widow of the late Joshua Gest, decd., and Huedah H. Gest, Mary Ann J. Gest, Elizabeth J. Gest, and Sarah Y. Gest, children and heirs at law of said Joshua Gest.

All these cases being in Chancery, with Dennis Rockwell, clerk of the Circuit Court, making the notices. There are Administrator's notices of the estates of Jeremiah Buchanan, Philander Goff, and Samuel P. Devore.

### General Advertisements.

On the fourth page of the "News" were advertisements of "Windsor chairs making, glazing, and sign and all other kinds of painting," by Andrew W. Newcomb. The "Village Hotel, Rushville, Ill." J. W. Skidmore, proprietor. "Quincy Hotel and Ferry House," Quincy, Ill., by Geo. W. Hight. "Bennett's Mansion House, sign of the Indian Queen, Springfield, Ill.," by the subscriber, who did not subscribe. "Law notice of Daniel Roberts, Atty. and Counselor-at-law, with M. McConnell, Esq." "Stephen A. Duglass, Attorney and Counselor-at-law, Jacksonville Ill. Office on the Public Square." A farm for sale in Pike county, west of Naples, by Franklin J. Bartlett. "Drs. Bell and Teagarden, having associated themselves in the practice of the Thompsonian System of Medicine (or as it is otherwise maliciously termed by its enemies, the 'Steam Practice'), respectfully tender their medical services to the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity." "Health—Health" is the slogan of John W. Marshall, who will do whitewashing. "He may be seen or heard from at Major Wm. Miller's hotel, where a specimen of his work may be seen."

"Lumber and Whiskey. The subscribers have purchased the establishment of Doctor Roberts, consisting of a saw mill and distillery, situated half a mile northeast of Winchester, which in addition to their old stand, will be kept in successful operation." Lumber will be cash, or half cash and half produce, but liquors for cash. The subscribers were Wesley and Thomas Askins.

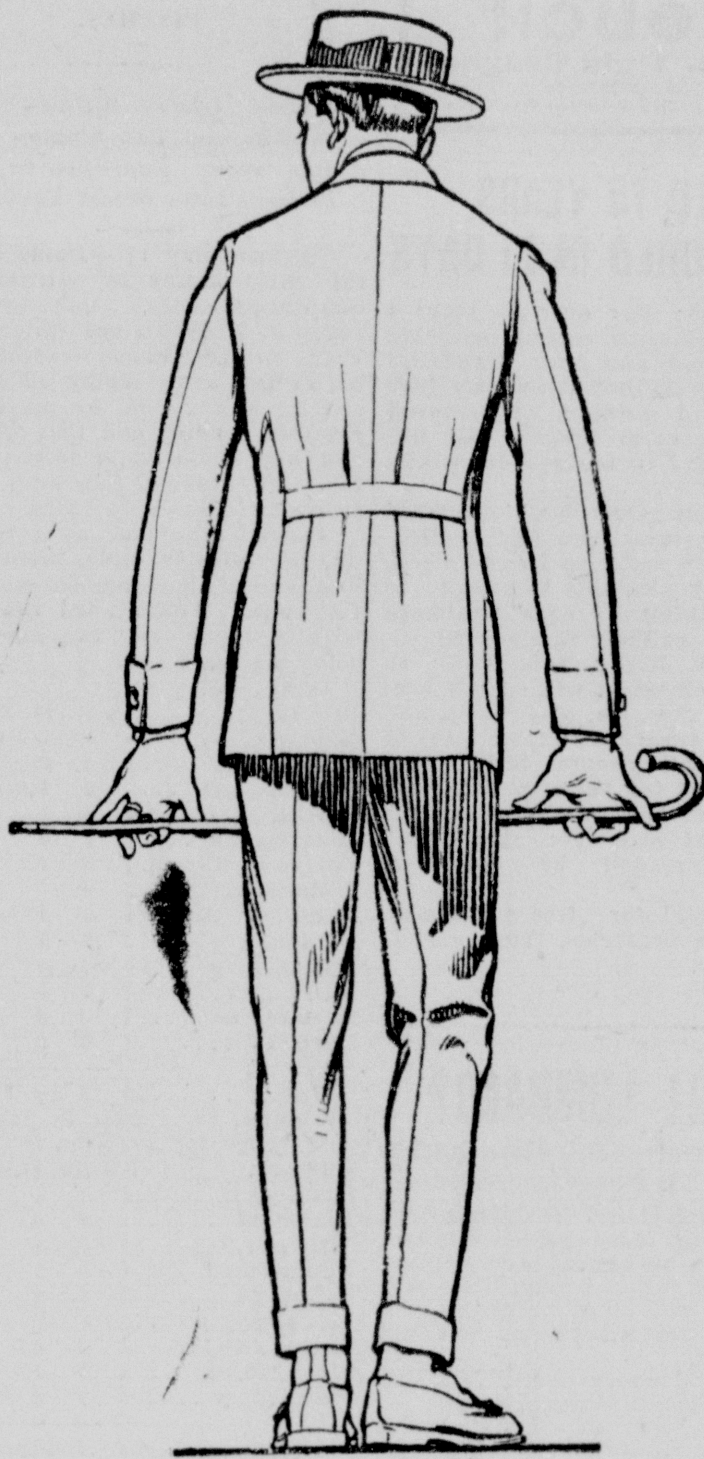
A horse had strayed from G. Y. Shirley.

J. McKinney had groceries and liquors.

Samuel S. Dickinson, of Cincinnati, advertised Franklin Printing Presses and office furnishings.

D. Buchanan was a fashionable tailor, according to his say so.

Hats, wholesale and retail were offered by Josiah Seymour, "five doors south of Wilkinson and Wol-



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## A "pinch-back"

YOU See how this style sets off a well-built figure; there's nothing like it. This suit is one of the sport coat variations of the famous

## VARSITY FIFTY FIVE SUIT

Made by  
Hart Schaffner & Marx

This is a good year to buy their clothes: as always, we are authorized to guarantee everything of theirs we sell—in spite of the talk of depreciation in materials and scarcity of dyes.

The Hart Schaffner & Marx standard is being maintained.

**Lukeman Brothers**  
The home of  
Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

cott's store, on the East side of the Public Square."

Book and Job Printing neatly executed at the Jacksonville News Office," by Calvin Goudy.

About three columns were taken up by prospectuses of Cincinnati; New York and Washington newspapers, and the announcement of "Western Education Book Store and Paper Warehouse," Louisville, Kentucky.

Coming down the line, from the "Jacksonville News" to the year 1870 is an item that may be of some interest.

### An Old Introduction.

The following old letter turned up lately. It is headed, "Office Illinois State Journal, Springfield, Oct. 5, 1870," and reads as follows:

"To whom it may concern:  
Ensley Moore, Esq., is a travelling correspondent of and agent for the Illinois State Journal, and any kindnesses or attentions, in the line of such business, which you may be able to extend to him will be duly appreciated and kindly remembered. (Signed.) E. L. Baker, Editor Illinois Journal."

Mr. Baker was afterward a U. S. Consul to one of the South American republics, and died there at his post of duty. He was a genial gentleman.

The letter in question was intended for use on an irruption into the state of Kansas. One place visited was the city of Lawrence, which is noted for its thrilling early history, and some of its distinguished or prominent men were still there.

### SPECIAL TAX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested,

That the City Council of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois, having ordered the roadway of South Main Street in said City, beginning at the South line of the Public Square in said City, and running thence South to the center line of Morton Avenue, where the same intersects said South Main Street, be paved with crushed stone and a coal tar compound binder, the same width as the present pavement, except the right of way of the Jacksonville Railway Company, which shall be excavated and constructed with a sub-base of crushed stone, concrete foundation thereon, sand cushion, brick wearing surface with grout filler; that the roadway of said street beginning at the South line of Edgmon Street where the same intersects said South Main Street shall be excavated to a depth of seventeen (17) inches below the present grade of the old pavement, and from thence South three hundred (300) feet; the same shall be excavated on an ascending grade so as to finish five (5) inches below the present grade of the old pavement three hundred (300) feet South of said point of beginning; the said roadway shall be excavated

North from said intersection of Edgmon street as aforesaid, commencing seventeen (17) inches below the present grade of said intersection of Edgmon street and thence running North on a descending grade one hundred four (104) feet so as to finish five (5) inches below the present grade of the old pavement; the present curb adjacent to said excavation, to be lowered to conform to the new grade; upon the foundation of said excavation shall be laid a concrete foundation upon which shall be constructed a surface of crushed stone and coal tar compound binder and wearing surface, except right of way of Railway Company; all of which is further shown and more particularly described in and by the plans, plats, profiles and specifications for said work on file in the office of the City Clerk to which reference is hereby made; the Ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, and said City having applied to the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, for the confirmation of the assessment of the cost of said improvement according to the benefits, and an assessment therefor having been made and returned to said Court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will permit, and all persons desiring so to do may file objections in said Court before said date, and may appear on said hearing and make their defense.

It is further provided by said ordinance, that said assessment shall be collected in ten (10) installments, with interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, as provided by law.

Dated at Jacksonville, Illinois, this 16th day of May, A. D. 1916.

(Walter B. Rogers, Commissioner appointed to make said assessment.)

GET A SUMMER HOME ON THE LAKES OF WISCONSIN

Spend your vacation in the cool north woods and in the greatest fishing region in the world. Round-trip summer fares. Reached over night by the double daily train service of the Chicago & North Western Railway.

Go early and get the benefit of the year's best fishing.

Let us help you plan your trip and supply free illustrated descriptive booklets, detailed pocket maps, train schedules, etc. J. W. Hendley, G. A., Chicago & North Western Ry., 333 Main St., Peoria, Ill.

PICKS UP BAY MARE

James Ball picked up a bay mare, about five or six years old, Wednesday, which he found at large. The owner of the animal can have same by calling at Mr. Ball's residence, 803 South Church street, proving ownership and paying the feed bill.

Orville Poffenbarger has gone to Chicago for a visit with friends.

## WIDMAYER'S CASH MARKETS

302 East State St., Op P. O.  
217 West State St.

FOR

VICTROLAS

and

RECORDS

J. P. BROWN'S  
MUSIC HOUSE  
19 Public Square



## Mallory Bros

HAVE

### Dandy Kitchen Cabinet

Have Everything Buy Everything  
Sell Everything  
225 South Main Street.  
Both Phones 436.

### MAY WE ASK



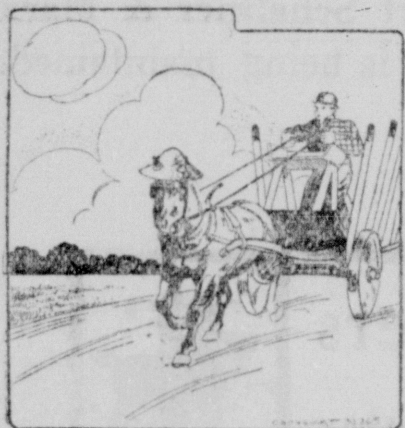
If you were thoroughly satisfied with your coal this winter? If you weren't why not try our fuel this spring and be convinced that this is the yard to place your orders with.

Coal prices run about the same, but quality varies widely. Our coal is the best your money will buy.

Your order will be PROMPTLY filled if placed with this yard.

## YORK BROS.

Both Phone 88



With small trucks or large ones, we are prepared to take care of your work in transferring freight, and merchandise as you direct.

Our trucking business is conducted on the basis of honest efforts to please, careful handling of business entrusted to us and fairest prices, always.

We make a specialty of crating and shipping household goods. Heating stoves and base burners stored for the season at reasonable prices. Furniture bought and sold.

## Jacksonville Transfer and Storage Co.

607-609-611 E. State Street.  
Both Phones 721.

### YOUR MEAT ORDERS

will receive prompt attention here. Best quality is assured; together with prompt service by our auto delivery car!

### COVERLY'S

South Sandy Street

### We teach watches to tell the truth

If your watch can't be depended upon bring it in and let our expert repair man put it in first-class condition.

No charge unless we do.

Jewelry made to look like new.

### SCHRAM

## RAYMOND'S Pectoral Plaster

### WHOOPING COUGH

Croup, Tight Coughs

Manufactured by Raymond & Co., 291 Broadway, New York City

### SUFFERED 15 YEARS CURED IN 21 DAYS

Gentlemen: For over 15 years I was afflicted with eczema, covering my arms, legs and face. I suffered so that I could not sleep. My face was red and swollen, and covered with dry feverish scales. Was unable to attend to business for weeks at a time.

I had about given up all hope when I tried Amolox. The first application gave me relief so I could sleep. In 3 days I was able to attend to business. After 30 days' treatment my eczema entirely disappeared.

James R. Rigby, Youngstown, O. Amolox ointment will quickly heal pimples on the face, blackheads, and minor skin troubles. Chronic cases of psoriasis, salt rheum, tetter, that have suffered for years, require both the ointment and solution to effect a cure. Trial size 50c. Guaranteed and recommended by Doctor & Shreve.

Send postal for free sample to Amolox Laboratories, Youngstown, Ohio.—Adv.

### OUCH! LUMBAGO?

Try Musterole. See How Quickly It Relieves.

You just rub MUSTEROLE in briskly, and usually the pain is gone—a delicious, soothing comfort comes to take its place. MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Use it instead of mustard plaster. Will not blister.

Doctors and nurses use MUSTEROLE and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chills, Frosted Feet, Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia).

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50. Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.



### BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids.

It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place. Most headaches, "biliousness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "loggy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

### VEGETABLE CALOMEL

Vegetable calomel, extract of the root of the old-fashioned may-apple plant, does not salivate. As a liver stimulant, it's great. It's a perfect substitute for ordinary calomel (mercury); in fact, it's better, because its action is gentle instead of severe and irritating—and it leaves no mean, disagreeable after-effects. Physicians recognize this and prescribe may-apple root (podosphyllin, they call it) daily.

Combined with four other standard, all-vegetable remedies, may-apple root may now be had at most any druggist's in convenient sugar-coated tablet form by asking for Santalene Laxatives. If you forget the name, ask for the box that has the picture of the soldier on it.

These tablets are small, easy to take and are really wonderful little performers.

They quickly clean out the poisons that are causing you headache, constipation, sour stomach, biliousness, dizzy spells, bad breath and coated tongue.

They are mild. They never gripe. And they are a bowel tonic as well as a cleanser and liver regulator. A 10c box should last you several weeks. A Physician's trial package (4 doses) will be mailed you free if you write mentioning this advertisement. The Santalene Remedies Co., 802 Madison Ave., Covington, Ky.

## CUB HOMERS PUT GAME OUT OF DODGERS' REACH

PACKARD HOLDS BROOKLYN IN PINCHES.

Williams Leads Hitting With a Double, and Two Singles Besides His Home Run—Braves Down Reds—Giants Defeat Cards.

Chicago, May 17.—Home runs in the third inning by Williams and Schulte put today's game beyond the reach of Brooklyn and Chicago won 7 to 2. The league leaders got a hit or two every inning off Packard but his strength in the pinches and his own fielding and that of Mulligan and McCarthy, inserted life in the Cub infield, spoiling many Brooklyn chances to score.

Packard also took an active part on the offensive side, with three hits, two of them doubles which netted runs. Williams led the hitting with a double and two singles besides his home run.

Score: Brooklyn: AB. R. H. O. A. E. Myers, cf. .... 5 1 2 0 0 0 Daubert, 1b. .... 4 2 2 0 0 0 Johnston, rf. .... 3 0 1 1 0 0 Wheat, lf. .... 4 0 1 1 1 0 Mowrey, 2b. .... 4 1 0 2 5 0 Cutshaw, 2b. .... 4 0 1 2 1 0 O'Mara, ss. .... 3 0 1 2 4 0 Miller, c. .... 3 0 1 5 3 0 Pfeiffer, p. .... 2 0 1 0 2 1 Appleton, p. .... 0 0 0 1 0 0 Mails, p. .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 Stengel, x. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 Getz, xx. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 Totals ..... 35 2 10 24 16 1

—batted for Pfeiffer in 6th.

XX—batted for Appleton in 7th.

Chicago: AB. R. H. O. A. E. Schulte, lf. .... 4 2 2 0 0 0 Black, rf. .... 1 0 0 3 0 0 Williams, cf. .... 4 1 4 4 0 0 Zimmerman, 3b. .... 4 1 0 1 0 0 Sailer, 1b. .... 3 0 0 0 0 0 McCarthy, 2b. .... 2 0 0 3 4 0 Archer, 2b. .... 4 0 0 1 1 0 Mulligan, ss. .... 4 0 1 4 4 1 Packard, p. .... 3 2 3 1 3 1 Totals ..... 27 7 11 27 13 2

Score by innings: Brooklyn ..... 100 001 000—2 Chicago ..... 103 029 10X—7

Summary: Two base hits—Packard (2); Zimmerman, Williams, Schulte. Home runs—Schulte, Williams, Stolen bases—Schulte, Sailer, Williams. Sacrifice flies—Daubert, Pack (3). Sacrifice flies—Wheat, Double play—Packard, Sailer. Left on base—Brooklyn 12; Chicago, 5. First base on errors—Brooklyn 2; Chicago 1. Bases on balls—off Pfeiffer 3; Appleton 1; Mails 1; off Packard 3. Hits and earned runs—off Pfeiffer 7 hits 4 runs in 5 innings; off Appleton 4 and 2 in 2; off Mails none and none in 1; off Packard 10 and 1 in 3. Struckout—by Pfeiffer 1; Appleton 1. Passed ball—Miller. Umpires—O'Day and Eason. Time—1:41.

Boston 7; Cincinnati 1.

Cincinnati, O., May 17.—Boston hit Tony Hrd in the initial inning today and when they continued to meet his curves with deadly effect in the second inning, he retired from the mound, Boston eventually winning 7 to 1. Dale, who relieved Toney pitched good ball and would have shutout the visitors had it not been for an error. With the exception of Konechty and Compton, all of the visitors hit well. Neale batted in Cincinnati's only tally.

Score: R. H. E. Boston ..... 510 000 001—7 12 1 Cincinnati ..... 4 000 000 010—1 4 2

Hughes and Gowdy; Toney, Dale and Wingo.

New York, N. Y., St. Louis, 3.

St. Louis, May 17.—By pounding Meadows and Steele for six extra base hits in the third and fourth innings, stealing bases at will on Snyder and taking advantage of St. Louis' errors, New York beat the locals 9 to 3.

In three innings the Giants stole five bases on Snyder.

Score: R. H. E. New York ..... 014 300 010—3 15 1 St. Louis ..... 0 000 001 002—3 8 5

Anderson and Harden, Doolin; Doak, Meadows, Steele and Snyder, Brothen.

IOWA DEFEATS CHICAGO

Chicago, May 17.—Shull's wildness in the third inning of today's baseball game between University of Iowa and University of Chicago teams gave the visitors a lead which the local players were unable to overcome.

Score: Iowa ..... 203 000 000 5 4 1 Chicago ..... 100 102 000 4 9 1

Derdorf and Foster; Shull, George and Hart.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Annapolis—Navy 3; Georgetown 1.

At Princeton—Dartmouth 3; Princeton 1.

At West Point—Army 4; Fayette 3.

At Ithaca—Cornell 13; Michigan 6.



Ashby's 2 1/2 in. Lexicon 2 1/2 in. ARROW COLLAR spring style, in two heights, QUATT, PEABODY & CO. INC. MAKERS

## MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS.

National League.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	13	8	.619
Boston	13	8	.619
Philadelphia	13	9	.595
Chicago	14	13	.519
St. Louis	14	14	.500
Cincinnati	12	17	.414
Pittsburgh	11	16	.407
New York	9	13	.409

American League.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cleveland	19	9	.679
Washington	18	9	.667
New York	13	12	.520
Detroit	14	15	.483
Boston	13	13	.500
Chicago	12	16	.429
Philadelphia	10	16	.385
St. Louis	9	16	.360

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.  
Brooklyn, 2; Chicago, 7.  
Boston, 7; Cincinnati, 1.  
New York, 9; St. Louis, 3.  
Philadelphia - Pittsburgh, cold weather.

American League.  
Detroit, 4; Washington, 6.  
St. Louis, 7; Philadelphia, 4.  
Chicago-Boston, rain.  
Cleveland-New York, rain.

American Association.  
Toledo, 3; St. Paul, 2.  
Indianapolis, 2; Milwaukee, 5.  
Louisville, 2; Kansas City, 4.  
Columbus-Minneapolis, cold and wet grounds.

Western League.  
Wichita, 7; Omaha, 6.  
Topeka, 5; Lincoln, 10.  
St. Joseph, 3; Sioux City, 2.  
Denver, 5; Des Moines, 6.

Central Association.  
Waterloo 2; Marshalltown 1.  
Burlington 2; Muscatine 0.  
Cedar Rapids 7; Clinton 10.  
Mason City 9; Fort Dodge 6.

Three Eye League.  
Davenport, 6; Quincy, 5.  
Hannibal, 4-6; Moline, 6-0.  
Bloomington, 5; Rock Island, 1.  
Rockford 10; Peoria 9.

## WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

National League.  
Boston at Cincinnati.  
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## BROWNS HIT ATHLETIC PITCHERS HARD AND WIN

DAVENPORT KEEPS HITS SCATTERED EXCEPT IN SIXTH

Pick Makes a Record for the Season by Stealing Four Bases—Senators Win Fourth Straight From Tigers.

Philadelphia, May 17.—St. Louis hit Philadelphia's pitchers hard in the early innings today and won 7 to 2. Davenport kept the home team's hits scattered, except in the sixth. Pick made a record for the season here by stealing four bases.

Score: St. Louis: AB. R. H. O. A. E. Shotten, lf. .... 5 1 2 2 0 0 Johnson, ss. .... 3 0 1 2 4 0 Sailer, 1b. .... 5 1 2 13 0 0 Miller, rf. .... 3 0 0 0 0 0 Pratt, 2b. .... 1 0 2 6 0 0 Marsans, cf. .... 3 3 4 0 0 0 Austin, 3b. .... 4 0 2 2 1 0 Hattery, c. .... 4 0 1 6 2 0 Davenport, p. .... 3 1 1 0 5 0 Totals ..... 34 7 11 27 18 0

Philadelphia: AB. R. H. O. A. E. Whit, ss. .... 5 0 0 5 2 0 Schang, c. .... 5 0 1 5 6 0 Strunk, cf. .... 1 3 1 0 0 0 McInnis, 1b. .... 3 1 0 11 1 0 Lajoie, 2b. .... 4 0 2 2 4 1 Walsh, rf. .... 3 1 1 1 0 0 Pick, 3b. .... 4 0 2 2 2 1 Stelbauer, lf. .... 3 0 1 0 0 1 Crowell, p. .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 Sheehan, p. .... 2 0 0 0 0 0 Bressler, p. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 Thompson, x. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 Totals ..... 35 4 10 27 15 3

—batted for Sheehan in 6th.

St. Louis ..... 032 100 100—7 Philadelphia ..... 010 005 000—4

Summary: Two base hits—Hattery, Austin, Lajoie. Three base hits—Johnson. Stolen bases—Sailer, Walsh (2); Pick (4). Sacrifice hits—Johnson, Austin, Pratt. Double plays—Schang and Lajoie (2). Left on bases—St. Louis 9; Philadelphia 7. First on errors—Philadelphia 2. Bases on balls—off Davenport 3; Crowell 1; Sheen 2; Bressler 2. Hits and earned runs—off Davenport 10 hits 4 runs in 9 innings; off Crowell 4 hits 3 runs in 2 innings; off Sheehan 4 hits and 1 run in 4 innings; off Bressler 2 hits 1 run in 3. Hit by pitcher—by Bressler, Davenport. Struckout—by Davenport 5; Crowell 1; Sheehan 3; Bressler 1. Wild pitches—Crowell 1; Sheehan 1. Umpires—O'Day and Eason. Time 2:10.

Washington 6; Detroit 4.

Washington, May 17.—Washington won its fourth straight game from Detroit today 6 to 4. Harper became wild toward the end of the game and was succeeded by Ayers. The visitors staged a rally in the ninth inning when they scored one run on four hits, but with two out and the bases full Ayers ended the game by striking out Dalton.

Score: Washington ..... 000 000 031 4 11 2 Detroit ..... 000 102 12x 6 9 1

Dubite, James and Stange; Harper, Ayers and Henry.

## WEDNESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.  
Look up army re-organization conference report.

Senator Owen corrupt practice bill was reported favorably from the elections committee.

Rivers and harbors appropriation bill debated.

Adopted without record vote conference report on army re-organization bill.

Adjourned at 5:30 p. m., to noon Thursday.

House.  
Sent rural credits bill to conference.

Passed flood control bill authorizing five year improvement program for Mississippi and Sacramento rivers.

Adjourned at 6:12 p. m., to 11 a. m., Thursday.

## RAILWAY & LIGHT COMPANY TEAM DEFEATS NORTH SIDE MERCHANTS

The Jacksonville Railway & Light company team defeated the North Side Merchants in a game Wednesday afternoon by a score of 9 to 4.

Five innings were played and two base hits were secured by Johnson and Smith, who pounded out two.

Hall for the merchants struck out six batters and Doolin fanned 4, while Hall allowed three free passes and Doolin allowed only one base on balls. The umpires were H. L. Smith and Barr. The line-ups follow:

Railway & Light company—E. Smith, 3b; G. Whitlock, 2b; H. Davey, ss; Carigan, rf; McLaren, c; Stringam, cf; Kushmann, lf; Butler, 1b; Doolin, p.

Merchants—Thomas Duffner, c; John Johnson, 1b; Cass Ham, 2b; Joseph Sehy, cf; Smith, 3b; Charles Ator, ss; Wier Wood, rf; A. Hall, p; Brewer, lf.

## HUMANE SOCIETY MEETING POSTPONED

Monday Evening at Eight O'clock at The Public Library Building It Will Be Held.

Owing to the high school play and several other attractions the meeting called for the organization of a humane society in Jacksonville has been postponed till Monday evening at eight o'clock. It is earnestly hoped that there will be a large attendance as the object is surely most worthy and should have the indorsement of all good citizens. The fact of membership will not involve great expense of money or time but a little from a good number will accomplish much.

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BIG RECEIPTS MAKE  
HOG VALUES TUMBLE

Cattle Supplies Are Overplentiful—No Urgent Call for Sheep and Lambs.

Chicago, May 17.—Big receipts today made hog values tumble. Cattle supplies were likewise overplentiful. There was no urgent call for sheep and lambs.

**Chicago Livestock Market.**  
Hogs—Receipts, 44,000. Market weak to 15¢ lower. Bulk, \$9.70 @ 9.90; light, \$9.50 @ 9.90; mixed, \$9.50 @ 9.95; heavy, \$9.50 @ 9.95; rough, \$9.50 @ 9.60; pigs, \$7.40 @ 9.30.

Cattle—Receipts, 18,000. Market strong. Native beef cattle, \$8.10 @ 10.25; western steers, \$8.10 @ 9.10; stockers and feeders, \$6.00 @ 8.80; cows and heifers, \$4.40 @ 9.50; calves, \$8.00 @ 11.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000. Market strong. Wethers, \$7.75 @ 10.00; ewes, \$6.00 @ 9.00; lambs, \$9.00 @ 12.00.

**St. Louis Livestock Market.**  
Hogs—Receipts, 11,000. Market 15¢ to 20¢ lower. Pigs and lights, \$7.50 @ 9.85; mixed and butchers, \$9.65 @ 9.90; good heavy, \$9.90 @ 9.95; bulk, \$9.70 @ 9.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 2,500. Market strong to 10¢ higher. Native beef steers, \$7.50 @ 10.25; yearling steers and heifers, \$8.50 @ 9.75; cows, \$5.25 @ 8.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @ 8.50; Oklahoma steers, \$5.75 @ 8.75; prime yearlings and heifers, \$8.75 @ 9.55; prime southern, \$9.00 @ 9.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,100. Market strong to 25¢ higher. Wethers, \$7.00 @ 8.50; lambs, \$10.00 @ 12.50; clipped lambs, \$9.00 @ 10.55; clipped ewes, \$7.50 @ 8.60; spring lambs, \$10.00 @ 14.00.

**Omaha Livestock Market.**  
Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Market lower. Heavy, \$9.50 @ 9.70; light, \$9.35 @ 9.55; pigs, \$8.00 @ 9.00; bulk, \$9.45 @ 9.55.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,500. Market steady. Steers, \$8.00 @ 9.75; cows and heifers, \$6.45 @ 8.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000. Market steady. Yearlings, \$8.75 @ 9.15; wethers, \$8.25 @ 9.75; lambs, \$10.85 @ 12.35.

**Kansas City Livestock Market.**  
Hogs—Receipts, 16,000. Market lower. Bulk, \$9.50 @ 9.75; heavy, \$9.70 @ 9.80; light, \$9.45 @ 9.70; pigs, \$8.50 @ 9.00.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,000. Market steady. Steers, \$7.50 @ 9.85; cows, \$5.50 @ 8.25; heifers, \$7.50 @ 9.60; calves, \$6.50 @ 10.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000. Market steady. Lambs, \$10.00 @ 12.25; yearlings, \$9.25 @ 11.25; wethers, \$8.25 @ 9.75; ewes, \$8.00 @ 9.40.

**NEW YORK BOND LIST.**  
U. S. ref. 2s, registered ..... 99 1/2  
U. S. ref. 3s, coupon ..... 99 1/2  
U. S. 3s, registered ..... 101 1/2  
U. S. 3s, coupon ..... 100 1/2  
U. S. 4s, registered ..... 110 1/2  
U. S. 4s, coupon ..... 111 1/2  
Panama 3s, coupon ..... 102

**NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.**  
New York, May 17.—Mercantile paper, 34.  
Bar silver, 75 1/2.  
Mexican dollars, 58 1/2.  
Call money steady. High, 2; low, 1 1/2; closing, 1 1/2.

**OMAHA GRAIN MARKET.**  
Omaha, May 17.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, \$1.11 @ 1.14.  
Corn—No. 2 white, 70 @ 70 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 71 @ 71 1/2; No. 2, 70 @ 70 1/2.

Oats—No. 3 white, 41 1/2 @ 42c.

DISCUSSION OF PEACE CHANCES  
BRINGS LOWER WHEAT PRICE

Close, Altho Steady, Is 1/2 to One Cent Down—Corn Develops Firmness.

Chicago, May 17.—Discussion of peace chances had considerable effect today in bringing about lower quotations on wheat. The market, altho steady at the close was 1/2 to 3/4¢ down, with July at \$1.16 1/2 @ 1.16 1/2 and September at \$1.16 1/2. Corn finished 1/4¢ to 1/2¢ up, oats unchanged to 1/2¢ off and provisions varying from the same as yesterday's finish to a decline of 10¢.

Peace talk showed its market influence in the main thru the evident restraint put upon buyers of wheat. Notwithstanding that crop experts were almost unanimous in sending word of serious damage from Hessian fly such advices appeared to receive but little attention as compared with what has recently been the case. Indeed the failure of foreign exchanges to respond to yesterday's advance in American markets was treated as of greater significance and was generally coupled with reports that purchasers at Liverpool had become nervous over the vague rumors as to peace.

Bears in wheat were disposed to emphasize the opinion that the damage from Hessian fly had about reached the maximum for this season. Gossip was current also that the injury to the winter wheat crop would stimulate spring wheat farmers to push seeding as late as possible. Sales of 700,000 bushels of Manitoba wheat to Holland did not seem to arouse the slightest enthusiasm on the bull side.

Corn developed firmness owing to the fact that country offerings were light. Besides, shipping demand was said to have improved. Oats were steadier by export sales of 250,000 bushels at the seaboard. Crop reports continued unfavorable from the southwest but good from the big central states.

Provisions averaged lower on account of a sharp downturn in the value of hogs. Rallies at times were prompted by rumors of peace and by assertions that 1,500,000 pounds of lard had been disposed of by Belgian relief.

**PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.**  
Peoria, May 17.—Corn unchanged @ 1c up; No. 3 yellow, 74 @ 74 1/2; No. 3 mixed, 74 1/2; No. 4 mixed, 72 1/2; sample, 68 1/2.

Oats—Unchanged; No. 3 white, 42 1/2 @ 42 1/2; No. 4 white, 42c.

**TOLEDO SEED MARKET.**  
Toledo, May 17.—Clover seed—Prime cash, \$8.85; October, \$8.92; December, \$8.90.

Alsike—Prime cash and August, \$9.10.  
Timothy—Prime cash, \$3.70; September, \$3.55.

**MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.**  
Minneapolis, May 17.—Wheat—Fractionally lower. Trading was light. Corn and oats steady.

Cash wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.27 1/2; No. 1 northern, \$1.21 1/2 @ 1.24 1/2; to arrive, \$1.20 1/2 @ 1.23 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.17 @ 1.21 1/2; No. 3 wheat, \$1.11 1/2 @ 1.17 1/2.

**NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.**  
New York, May 17.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 1 Durum, \$1.28 1/2; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.27 1/2; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.34 1/2 and No. 1 Manitoba, \$1.33 1/2 f. o. b. New York.

Futures easier; May, \$1.23 1/2. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 yellow, 87 1/2 c. f. i. New York.

IRREGULARITY IS DOMINANT  
FEATURE OF STOCK MARKET

Market Seems to Be Governed Almost Entirely by Speculative Considerations of Exigencies.

New York, May 17.—Irregularity was the dominant feature of today's market which seemed to be governed almost entirely by speculative considerations of exigencies. Peace rumors were again current, but they exerted little more than passing influence. A far more potent factor was the continued selling of international issues, including United States steel. Wall street is without direct means of tracing the source of its liquidation but it bears the marks of foreign origin.

Stocks were under partial restraint at the opening but withstood persistent pressure until midday when most of the specialties and allied issues fell sharply on rumors that threatened a revival of recent international difficulties. There were rallies from the low levels of that period, but they failed to hold.

Munitions and motors were at all times variable when not heavy. Aside from Reading, the tendency of calls was downward, Canadian Pacific yielding much of its recent rise. Total sales of stocks amounted to 710,000 shares.

Receipts of international gold from Canada imparted further strength to sterling and francs, but trading in foreign remittances was almost nominal.

Demand for Anglo-French 5s contributed largely to the firm market for bonds. Total sales par value aggregated \$4,200,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

**NEW YORK STOCK LIST.**  
Last Sale.  
Allis-Chalmers ..... 28  
Amer. Beet Sugar ..... 73 1/2  
Amer. Can ..... 57  
Amer. Car and Foundry ..... 60 1/2  
Amer. Locomotive ..... 68 1/2  
Amer. Smelting and Refining ..... 99 1/2  
Amer. Sugar Refining ..... 128 1/2  
Amer. Tel. and Tel. .... 125 1/2  
Anaconda Copper ..... 83 1/2  
Atchafalpa ..... 103 1/2  
Baldwin Locomotive ..... 87 1/2  
Baltimore and O ..... 89  
Bethlehem Steel ..... 44 1/2  
Brooklyn Rap. Transit ..... 86  
Butte and Superior ..... 94  
California Petroleum ..... 93  
Canadian Pacific ..... 174  
Central Leather ..... 53 1/2  
Chesapeake and O ..... 62 1/2  
Chicago, Mil. and St. P. .... 19 1/2  
Chicago, R. I. and P. Ry. .... 53 1/2  
Chino Copper ..... 42 1/2  
Colorado Fuel and Iron ..... 42 1/2  
Crown Products ..... 84 1/2  
Cruicible Steel ..... 25  
Denver and Rio Grande pfd ..... 25  
Erie ..... 37 1/2  
General Electric ..... 170 1/2  
Goodrich Co ..... 72 1/2  
Great Northern Ore Cts ..... 41  
Great Northern pfd ..... 120 1/2  
Illinois Central ..... 102  
Interborough Consol. Corp. .... 17  
Inter. Harvester, N. J. .... 112  
Inter. Merc. Mar. pfd. cts ..... 91 1/2  
Lackawanna Steel ..... 71  
Lehigh Valley ..... 78 1/2  
Maxwell Motor Co ..... 86  
Mexican Petroleum ..... 109 1/2  
Miami Copper ..... 36 1/2  
Missouri, K. and T. pfd ..... 10 1/2  
Missouri Pacific ..... 6  
National Lead ..... 67 1/2  
New York Central ..... 105 1/2  
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford ..... 60 1/2  
Norfolk and W ..... 123 1/2  
Northern Pacific ..... 113  
Pennsylvania ..... 57  
Ray Consolidated Copper ..... 23  
Reading ..... 38 1/2  
Republic Iron and Steel ..... 48 1/2  
Southern Pacific ..... 22 1/2  
Southern Railway ..... 149 1/2  
Studebaker Co ..... 192  
Texas Co ..... 45 1/2  
Tennessee Copper ..... 135 1/2  
Union Pacific ..... 84 1/2  
United States Rubber ..... 116 1/2  
United States Steel pfd ..... 79 1/2  
Utah Copper ..... 27 1/2  
Wabash Pfd. B ..... 94  
Western Union ..... 62 1/2  
Westinghouse Electric ..... 55  
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**BLUFFS HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB HELD PICNIC**  
Enjoyed Day at Home of Mrs. George Vannier—Child Has Scarlet Fever—News Notes.

Bluffs, May 17.—Mrs. Frances Kendall, Miss Lelia Finney and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore are visiting friends in Quincy this week.

Mrs. B. Richards, owner of the brick hotel now conducted by Ed. Ranit was quarantined Monday for small pox. She has been ill for several weeks from an attack of the "grippe."

Teddy Morriss, eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Morriss, south of town, is quarantined on account of scarlet fever. His sister, Helen, had the fever one year ago and it is thought that in the spring house cleaning some old germs were dislodged.

Hal Kendall, who conducted the tinning and plumbing business here left Sunday evening for Beardstown, his former home, where he has employment. He will remove his family there soon.

Miss Loretta Farrell of Murrayville is spending the week with her friend, Miss Kathleen Carver.

Mrs. Ralph Holliday has returned from East St. Louis where she spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McHale of that city.

Miss Iva Sammers of Manchester came over Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. S. D. Rockwood.

The Household Science club met with Mrs. George H. Vannier Tuesday for an all day's picnic and outing. Twenty three members and ten guests were present. Most of the day was spent in a social way and at the noon hour an elaborate lunch was served. Owing to the coolness of the weather the picknickers spent the day indoors. During the whole day the beautiful country home was a scene of merriment. The business session was held in the afternoon after which cream and cake were served. The next meeting will be a banquet held in the evening Tuesday, June 13, and the families to be invited.

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Corn—No. 2 white, 75 1/2 @ 76 1/2; No. 3 white, 74 1/2 @ 75 1/2; No. 4 white, 73c; No. 2 yellow, 76 1/2 @ 76 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 75 1/2 @ 75 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 72 1/2.

Oats—No. 3 white, 42 1/2 @ 43c; No. 4 white, 42 1/2 @ 43c; standard, 47 1/2 @ 48c.

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Kansas City, May 17.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, \$1.09 @ 1.17; No. 2 red, \$1.08 @ 1.15.

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Hay—Unchanged.

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Rhubarb, dozen bunches ..... 40c  
New onion, per dozen bunches ..... 40c  
Apples ..... 50

**Commission Men Pay: Poultry Prices.**  
Hens, light ..... 10c  
Hens, heavy ..... 13c  
Roosters ..... 5 @ 6  
Slugs ..... 10  
Ducks ..... 10c  
Old Geese ..... 15-15  
Turkey hens ..... 10-11  
Turkey toms ..... 20c  
Guineas ..... 17c  
Fresh eggs, candied ..... 15c  
Beef Hides ..... 15c  
Packing stock butter ..... 16c  
The Jacksonville Creamery Co., is now paying 30 cents for butter fat.

**Hay and Grain.**  
Timothy hay, per bale ..... 60c  
Timothy hay, per ton ..... 14.00  
Clover hay, per bale ..... 50c  
Clover hay, per ton ..... 14.00  
Alfalfa hay, per bale ..... 55  
Alfalfa hay, per ton ..... 18.00  
Oats straw ..... 35  
Oats, per bushel ..... 55  
Bran, per cwt ..... 1.10  
Cracked corn, old, per cwt ..... 1.65  
Coarse corn meal ..... 1.65  
Corn ..... 80c

**THE U.S. GOVERNMENT**  
now is helping to develop Yellowstone and other National Parks. Secretary Lane of the Department of the Interior is taking a lively interest in getting more citizens to see Yellowstone Park and our other national beauty spots, because our national scenic resources are properly conserved only when they are used by a maximum number of Americans.

An important part of the new government program is the publication of beautiful, authentic descriptions of our great playgrounds in booklets which soon will be ready for free distribution. Through the courtesy of the Interior Department the Union Pacific System will co-operate in the movement to increase travel to Yellowstone Park by reprinting the government book on this wonderland.

To all who send in their names this book will be mailed as soon as it is off the press, together with full information on how to reach the Yellowstone, rates, etc.

About two-thirds of all who visit the Park enter through the western gateway (Yellowstone Station), the Union Pacific entrance, because Colorado and Salt Lake City may be seen on the way without added expense, and also because this makes a convenient side trip on the way to California or the North Pacific Coast.

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Old Geese ..... 15-15  
Turkey hens ..... 10-11  
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Alfalfa hay, per ton ..... 18.00  
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Oats, per bushel ..... 55  
Bran, per cwt ..... 1.10  
Cracked corn, old, per cwt ..... 1.65  
Coarse corn meal ..... 1.65  
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**THE U.S. GOVERNMENT**  
now is helping to develop Yellowstone and other National Parks. Secretary Lane of the Department of the Interior is taking a lively interest in getting more citizens to see Yellowstone Park and our other national beauty spots, because our national scenic resources are properly conserved only when they are used by a maximum number of Americans.

An important part of the new government program is the publication of beautiful, authentic descriptions of our great playgrounds in booklets which soon will be ready for free distribution. Through the courtesy of the Interior Department the Union Pacific System will co-operate in the movement to increase travel to Yellowstone Park by reprinting the government book on this wonderland.

To all who send in their names this book will be mailed as soon as it is off the press, together with full information on how to reach the Yellowstone, rates, etc.

About two-thirds of all who visit the Park enter through the western gateway (Yellowstone Station), the Union Pacific entrance, because Colorado and Salt Lake City may be seen on the way without added expense, and also because this makes a convenient side trip on the way to California or the North Pacific Coast.

RECIPE THIS EVENING  
AT WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Advanced Undergraduate Students in Piano and Voice Appear on the Program.

Advanced undergraduate pupils of the Illinois College of Music will give the first recital in a series of three at 8 o'clock this evening in Music Hall, Illinois Woman's College. The first two recitals will include voice and piano numbers. Students in violin will appear on the program of the third recital.

The program follows:  
Prelude in A Major ..... Chopin  
Crescendo ..... Lasson  
Anna Brown.  
I Know a Lovely Garden, d'Hardelot  
Flower Rain ..... Schneider  
Gladys Stoble  
Valse in D Flat ..... Lack  
Mabel Weiss.  
Ave Maria from Othello .... Verdi  
Nora Alexander.  
Fruhlings rauschen ..... Sinding  
Dorothy Cannon.  
Ashes of Roses .....  
..... Huntington-Woodman  
A Birthday ..... Huntington-Woodman  
Elizabeth Witbeck.  
Valse in A flat major ..... Chopin  
Louise Landt.  
Where go the Boats; Goodbye to the Farm—From a Child's Garden of Verses ..... A ..... Gambogi  
Veronica and Grace Davis  
Polonaise in C sharp minor ..... Chopin  
Grace Wood.  
My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice, from Samson & Dalila ..... St. Saens  
Vera Teachout.  
Nocturne op. 46 No. 2 ..... Chopin  
Edith Hillerby.  
Jewel Song from Faust ..... Gounod  
Jessie Wall.  
Etude in F sharp major ..... MacDowell  
Florence Cranston.  
Miss Deane Obermeyer and Miss Lazelle accompanists.

**CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.**  
Chicago, May 17.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.12 @ 1.12 1/2; No. 4 red, 97c @ 98c; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.17 @ 1.18; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.1



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## CLARK PLEADS FOR CUMMINS' ENDORSEMENT

MAKES KEYNOTE SPEECH OF IOWA G. O. P. CONVENTION

Eulogizes Iowa Senator and Expresses High Hopes for His Ultimate Victory in Race for Presidential Nomination.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 17.—An eloquent plea for endorsement of Sen. Albert B. Cummins, of Iowa, for the presidency of the United States was made today by Howard J. Clark, of Des Moines, in his keynote speech as temporary chairman of the first Republican state convention in session here. Mr. Clark eulogized the Iowa Senator and expressed high hope for his ultimate victory in the race for the presidential nomination.

Mr. Clark said in part: "Today marks a new epoch in the history of the Republican party in Iowa. We meet in convention to approve the choice of the people of the state for the Republican nomination for president of the United States and to consider the fundamental principles of Republicanism. The public interest is the first and only thing for consideration and the interests of the whole country challenge the attention."

"Four years ago delegates to the national convention elected directly by the people were excluded from participating in the party council. On the 7th of June next the majority of the delegates constituting that convention will have been elected by a direct vote of the people. Today, it is altogether fitting that the man who led the contest for popular self-government and direct control of public affairs should be the honored choice of the United Republican party for its nomination as president of the United States and that this convention should re-record in its most emphatic and solemn way the selection of Senator A. B. Cummins for that position."

"The great central west has taken an active and determined part in developing the principles of Republicanism and the foremost effective able exponent and leader is Iowa's candidate for the presidency, Senator Cummins."

"Merit and merit alone is the thing that has sustained his candidacy."

"Senator Cummins' candidacy becomes more and more formidable every day. In every state where the vote of the people determined the choice of the candidate, where his name has been upon the ballot, the delegation is instructed for him and so far as we are able to learn, every man so instructed intends to act in good faith and carry out his instructions."

The speaker dwelt at great length on the part played by Senator Cummins in the various political activities of recent years and reviewed in detail his acts as a member of the United States senate. He added: "We have a candidate with strength, wisdom, character, and experience who has been a leader among his people; a man whose strength has been expended for the benefit of the whole country, Albert B. Cummins, and with united support the chances of this nomination will be greatly increased."

"The Republican party sometimes has failed to measure up to the ideals of the country in respect to one or more of its principles and has been relieved of its power by the voters of the country. On each occasion this reproach has been sufficient to bring about rectification. The Democratic party invariably has failed to measure up to the standards of the American people for any considerable length of time and invariably passes out of power at the first opportunity the people have for expressing a choice and this year of 1916 will be no exception."

The speaker then plunged into a discussion of national issues during which he said:

"Conceding that the present administration has acted in good faith in every particular and that it has used its best endeavor to formulate and put into effect policies it believed were for the best interests of the country, yet it has so signally failed in all of the essentials that if the Republicans are true to their principles and have the courage of their convictions and nominate men for public office who are known to be in accord with the public sentiment of the country, the victory will be overwhelming at the November election."

Regarding questions confronting the present administration growing out of the European war, Mr. Clark said in part:

"The true, fundamental doctrine of the American Republic \* \* \* is that every American, wherever he may be has the full strength and power of the republic with him for the protection and enforcement of his just rights, whether this involves his person or his property and the failure of the Democratic administration is the lack of force, courage and fire in pronouncing and compelling compliance with it. When a people ceases to have the feeling that the power of the country to which they owe allegiance is behind them, just then do they cease to be a factor in dealing with the other nations of the world. We do not forget the admonition of the father of our country that we must protect our just rights irrespective of the sacrifice that it requires."

Much time was devoted by the temporary chairman to discussion of the Mexican situation and the problems to be solved in dealing with the southern republic. He said:

"If it be conceded that Mexico had a government at all, then the policy of the administration on the principle announced—that this country should not interfere in the internal affairs of another nation,—is unparalleled in all history. On the other hand if no government existed in Mexico, then our conduct is shameful

and could have no defence for we have permitted our own people to be murdered, wantonly and wilfully, and their property destroyed without defence or effort to save them other than to warn them from the danger zone. \* \* \*

## MANUFACTURING INTERESTS SUPPORT PREPAREDNESS

Association Passes Resolution Declaring Its Belief in Necessity of "A Broad Patriotic Plan of Military and Naval Preparedness."

New York, May 17.—The manufacturing interests of the country, as represented at the twentieth annual convention of the national association of manufacturers in session here went on record today in support of "a broad patriotic plan of military and naval preparedness."

A resolution was passed declaring the organization's belief in the necessity for such action by the government, "wholly independent of partisan considerations and based upon the opinion and judgement of trained army and navy experts."

The association also passed a resolution urging congress to remove the present alleged defects in the system of governmental regulation of the railroads to the end that the railroads might yield sufficient earnings to attract investments and thus develop transportation facilities and open regions not now served. Another resolution offered by the committee on industrial education recommended federal aid for vocational education. It urged:

1. That federal appropriations be allotted among the states upon a uniform basis and bear a uniform relation to appropriations made by the states for like purposes.

2. That creation of a federal board of vocational education representative of the interests vitally concerned, manufacturing, commerce, labor and agriculture.

The commissioner of education to be a member ex-officio. The board to elect one of its members chairman.

3. That the federal board should be required to appoint advisory committees of its members each, representing industry, commerce, labor, agriculture, home making and general or vocational education.

## CREDIT BRITISH RESTRICTIONS WITH CAUSING DECLINE IN EXPORTS

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Restrictions on commerce by the British orders-in-council are credited here with being the cause of the sharp declines in American exports to the Northern European neutrals during the last year. Figures assembled today in the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce show that Norway alone of the countries in the north had increased purchases in the United States. Spain and Switzerland, however, are buying in America in increasingly large amounts. Shipments to the entente allies continue to grow. During the nine months ending with March, Great Britain took slightly more than one billion dollars worth of American goods against \$630,000,000 in the corresponding period of the previous year. France's purchases grew from \$224,000,000 to \$442,000,000; Russia's from \$12,000,000 to \$128,000,000; Italy's from \$138,000,000 to \$200,000,000; Greece's American takings increased from \$19,000,000 to \$22,000,000.

## SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Special Warrant Number 120. Notice: Public Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special tax upon property benefited by the following improvements, to-wit: The Street pavement of that part of South Main Street beginning at the intersection of Morton Avenue with said South Main street, and running thence South to the City limits, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office; that the warrant for the collection of such special tax is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collector's office in the Avers National Bank Building. Dated this 8th day of May, A. D. 1916.

Chas. B. Graff, Collector.

## AUTOMOBILES

W. E. McCurley of the south part of the county came to the city yesterday in his McFarlan 6 car.

Prince Coates and family of the east side of Scott county came to town yesterday in their Mitchell car.

M. E. Greenleaf, the Ford agent at Alexander, came to town yesterday in his Ford car.

Louis Krotty of Merritt made a trip to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Charles Jefferson of Winchester journeyed to the city with some friends yesterday in his Ford car.

Major Mappin of Orleans came to the city yesterday in his Jeffreys car.

Miss Gertrude Nerganek of Chapin drove to the city with some friends yesterday in her Overland car.

E. E. McPhail, north of the city came to town yesterday with his family in his Jeffreys car.

Edward Petefish of the northeast part of the county drove to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Frank Dinwiddle of the region of Litterberry came to the city yesterday in his automobile.

Robert Coates and family were arrivals in the city yesterday from Lynnville in their Michigan car.

Thomas Fox of Sinclair had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

## SELECT 276 FOOT PATROLMEN FOR DUTY DURING G.O.P. CONVENTION

Men Are Undergoing Course of Preliminary Training Under Personal Direction of Chief of Police Healy.

Chicago, May 17.—Two hundred and seventy six foot patrolmen will be on duty at the Coliseum during the Republican national convention. The men were especially selected from the ranks of the Chicago police department and are daily undergoing a course of preliminary training under the personal direction of Chief of Police Healy. In addition to the uniform patrolmen there will be fifty or more detectives at the convention hall to protect delegates and visitors from pickpockets.

Sergeant at arms, William F. Stone, conferred with Mayor Thompson today on plans for policing the convention and was informed that the city authorities would lend every possible assistance to the convention officials.

Chief of Police Healy will move his office from the city hall to the Coliseum convention week. As a precaution against fire during the period of construction the Coliseum will be guarded day and night by police and no smoking will be allowed on the premises. Fire Marshall O'Connor will detail a fire engine, chemical, hook and ladder and hose cart with fifty men for duty at the building while the convention is in session.

An emergency hospital with 25 physicians and surgeons and a score or more of trained nurses will be installed in the basement of the building. Health Commissioner Robertson will be in charge of this work.

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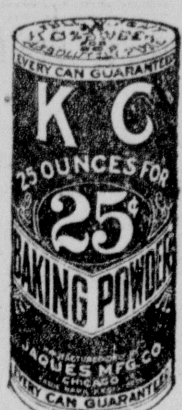
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Miss Bessie Zachary of the south-east part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

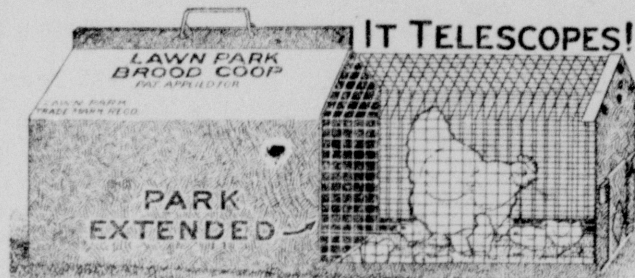
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S. S. S. goes straight to the seat of trouble, the blood. It spreads its influence over every organ in the body, comes through all the veins and arteries, enables all mucous surfaces to exchange acids and irritating substances for red blood corpuscles that effectually cleanse the system and thus put an end to all Catarrhal pollution. S. S. S. cleans out the stomach of mucous accumulations, enables only pure, blood-making materials to

enter the intestines, combines with these food elements to enter the circulation, and in less than an hour is at work throughout the body in process of purification.

S. S. S. is made from roots and herbs that are food and tonic for the blood. It stimulates—gives the blood power to throw off poisons. You will soon realize its wonderful influence by the absence of headache, a decided clearing of the air passages, a steadily improved nasal condition, and a sense of bodily relief that proves how completely Catarrh often infests the entire system.

You will find S. S. S. on sale at all drug stores. It is a remarkable remedy for any and all blood affections, such as Eczema, Rash, Lupus, Tetters, Psoriasis, Boils, and all other diseased conditions of the blood. For special advice on any blood disease write The Swift's Specific Company, Medical Department, Room 11, Atlanta, Ga. Avoid substitutes.

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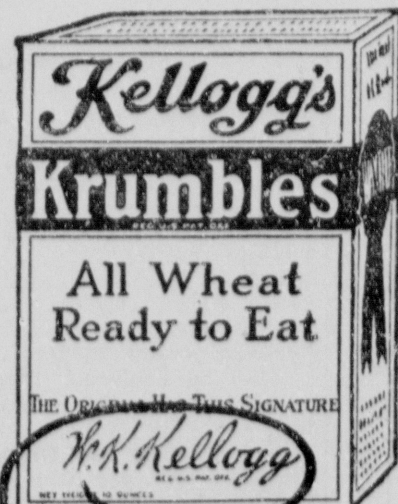


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## CARRANZA TROOPS HOSTILE TO U. S.

### THEIR ACTION PREVENTED OUT- LAW'S CAPTURE.

U. S. Army Officers Disgusted with Tactics Shown by Mexicans—Uncensored Dispatch Gives Inside Details.

The following article taken from the El Paso (Tex.) Times, is of interest because it gives a border view of the Mexican situation. The article is really an uncensored dispatch from Namiquipa, and was written by a Chicago news correspondent:

The following dispatch is the first uncensored message concerning the punitive expedition to be sent by any of the correspondents who have been with General Pershing's forces. It was filed by the correspondent of the Chicago News, who was the first of the war correspondents to reach El Paso from the front and file the true conditions that exist.

By Junius B. Wood.

Francisco Villa, would-be murderer of all Americans, is not found today, whether he be alive or dead, because of the attitude of Carranza and the activity of Carranza followers. This is the unanimous opinion of the commanding officers of the United States army now in Mexico who have been directing the pursuit of the bandit. That they are sincere and frank in expressing their belief and that there is considerable ground for it is well known to those who have been at the headquarters of the punitive expedition thru the campaign.

Neither the activity of Villa nor the valor of his outlaw followers has prevented his capture or the discovery of his burial place, according to officers of the American army. Obstacles thrown in the way of the expedition by the Carranza government from the start and the open hostility of Carranza soldiers or sympathizers whenever the trail became warm are blamed for blocking the pursuit.

#### Army Turns Other Cheek.

The United States has paid for crossing the border in lives, hardships and money. For the army up to now it has been an excellent practice maneuver. So far as having a free hand to conduct the search on military lines is concerned the army according to its officers, has been like a man in a free for all fight, who is allowed to strike at only one elusive opponent, while all the rest can rain blows on him which he cannot return.

The orders from Washington say those who received them, tend more to show "what not to do" than to give a free hand to proceed as the situation warrants. Carranza has had a free rein and his followers are aware of this and have had no compunctions in taking a shot at or throwing a slur on the American forces whenever their pleasure dictated. The "what not to do" instructions were that these shots must not be returned. Soldiers have not learned the scriptural admonition, now a principle of American diplomacy, of turning the left cheek if slapped on the right one.

The undertrappers of the Carranza forces have quickly absorbed the spirit of their leaders. With the assurance of those of little weight they have been quicker to express it. They are imbued with the belief that the United States will submit to any insult, imposition or wound without striking back and have inculcated it in the ignorant peons, the unlettered and unwashed peasantry of the barefoot nation.

#### Mexican Warns U. S. Colonel.

The venerable colonel of one of the cavalry columns, who, straining his men and horses to the utmost, was within two days of the fleeing Villa forces when halted by the treacherous attack of the Carranza forces at Parral, one day received a dapper young captain in his camp. The visitor, wearing a Carranza uniform, vaunted long and much of the valor and strength of the Mexican army. He pictured the dire consequences to the United States if it should presume to disagree with a fight in Mexico. The colonel, with the diplomacy given by experience, attempted to open the captain's eyes to other possibilities.

"But the United States is stronger, is so much larger and has so many more men," said the American officer.

"So has China more men, but they will not fight. We Mexicans are valiant, very brave; we have courage," replied the Mexican captain.

#### Thinks U. S. Troops Cowards.

He did not go so far as to flaunt in the face of the colonel his opinion that Americans, even those who wear the uniforms, are cowards and will not fight, as the colonel tells the incident, but he left the inference. Moreover, this is the opinion which not only officers of the expedition, but civilian Americans familiar with Mexican character say will be held by all Mexico of the American man should our troops be withdrawn in the present circumstances.

Carranza, unable to govern or restore order and safety in his own county, is dictating to the United States.

#### Chihuahua Conditions Different.

The conditions in Chihuahua, where our army is operating, are vastly different from those other parts of Mexico where the Carranza forces are stronger and where they are able to police the country with reasonable effectiveness. In justice to the Carranza government, it might also be contended that they

have had a semblance of sway in the northern state for only a few months before that it was the domain of Villa, and thousands of the ignorant native there today recognizes his name as the only symbol of military authority. The fact remains, however that all the opposition to the expedition, on more than one occasion costing American lives, has come either from Carranza soldiers, or a lawless element which the meager Carranza soldiers in the state so far have been unable to suppress or control. Out of the uncertainty which has characterized the expedition with tied hands and feet, one story—whether all or part truth—only Washington can say—looms persistently from the veil of mystery. It concerns the cause of Villa's appearance on the border preceding the Columbus massacre and is told by those with the expedition as tending to show a vacillating policy which has prevailed in the Mexican muddle from the first.

#### Knew Raid Was to Come Off.

It is well known that persons in the United States interested in exploiting Villa as a picturesque or political character knew of his expected arrival and were in Columbus several days before the raid, waiting for him. The story is that they were ready to pay his expenses to Washington on the understanding that he would be granted an audience there. When Villa reached the border it is said the final word came that he would not be received. Villa, when a soldier for Carranza, had been lauded as a heroic patriot by maudlin sentimentalists in the United States, and this story continued that on March 8 the bandit chief started to lead his followers southward again. The hungry horde mutilated and his aids accused him of being weak-kneed. He gave them free hand and they attacked the town. Whether or not the prelude is correct, it is certain Villa, after that never stopped running and has not carried out any more threats to kill Americans.

Brigandage is common in the state of Chihuahua. It has been so for years. An American woman, wife of a Mormon, who has lived all her thirty years in Mexico, said that her first memories were of bandits sweeping down from the almost inaccessible mountains to steal the crops and drive off the stock of the industrious residents of the plains.

#### Bandits Turn Soldiers

The bandits are still in the mountains, only in the last few years they have done their looting as soldiers under the colors of some leader. Rodriguez, Gutierrez, Salazar, Lopez, Acosta, Villa and a long list of others. To the thrifty settlers Carranza's troops are just as costly. The only difference is that when they appropriate they say "in the name of the government." Payment is lacking.

"Villa was bad and took everything he wanted, but he did not tolerate any other bandits and killed off plenty of others just as bad as he. For that we can be thankful," said one American settler.

Whether the Carranza forces can suppress the outlaws is a question. Whether Carranza can enforce discipline and stop the looting of the countryside by his own officers and soldiers is the next question. American army officers gave a discouraging negative answer to both questions. They say that peace can never come and prosperity cannot be restored to the ravished country unless our army is permitted to remain in and make a thorough job of it. At present the plains are cleared of the thousands of horses and cattle which once roamed there, windmills are broken and water holes are dry, fertile fields are uncultivated and the population of entire towns have vanished as if off the face of the earth.

#### Famine Facing Country

Famine faces this portion of Mexico, for the tillers of the soil and the humblest of the merchants, except a few meek and persistent Chinese, have ceased to labor, with the prospect of continual confiscation of the products of their toil awaiting them.

Carranza's attitude on the use of the railroads by our troops when the pursuit of Villa started gave his followers their cue as to what co-operation meant. Many of them, according to the American officers, not only refused to lend any assistance but actively opposed the expedition.

The railroads have carried supplies destined for our troops and how this was accomplished throws a light on the slipshod control which the Carranza government, flitting from city to city, has over its civil as well as its military affairs. The de facto government, which operates the railroads, will not permit them to carry even supplies to our troops. The result is that thrifty Americans have their supplies shipped to them where the camps are and then turn them over to the troops at a profit. Even the devious Mexican mind recognizes this as an evasion of the spirit of the executive mandate. To ease the consciences of these Mexicans it is necessary to grease their itching palms with gold.

#### How Supplies are Held Up

In some instances even this does not avail, as orders from the capital are issued prohibiting the running of any trains for fear that supplies may reach the American "allies." One of our camps is about seventy-five miles from Chihuahua. A train which was already made up was held for more than two weeks because it contained supplies which might be used by the troops. One day it did start out, cause unexplained, and seven cars of baled hay and one of fruit and candy for private consignees were sidetracked at the station nearest the camp.

#### Mexican Troops in Parral Attack

The Parral ambuscade of the American troops was taken by our officers as a determination of the Carranza government to block the expedition. What rankled especially in the mind of General Pershing was

the report of General Luis Herrera, who had foretold such an event, that the ambuscade was by civilians alone. Figures compiled by President Juan de Dios Herrera, father of the general, were that the sixteen Mexicans killed or injured, fifteen were Carranza soldiers.

General Pershing plunged ahead into the Villa territory as fast as any of his soldiers. It was on one of our last rides that his train of our five automobiles was fired on. If that ambuscading party had picked the first car instead of the last and if its aim had been better, the expedition might have been lacking a commander. As it was, General Pershing was little more than a mile away talking to the commander of a Carranza camp.

The next morning several American officers sat on a hillside and watched this Carranza detachment stealing from the village of Guadalupe everything that could walk on four feet. A few days later at Cuernavaca, about twenty miles distant, the Carranza garrison withdrew and Martine Lopez, brother of the notorious Pablo, a Villa follower, took possession. The defense of Pablo, the Columbus murderer, that he killed only "gringos" has so far stayed off his execution by the Carranza authorities.

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few nights ago, the Americans requested the Carranza commander to drive back the Villa forces, for so the first chief had promised. This commander, after much inquiry, sent about thirty men, who trotted along for half an hour and then returned. The Americans went ahead alone and recovered the bodies.

#### Army Ready to Go Ahead

Our army is ready. Its forces are concentrated at strategic bases, Camps which a few weeks ago consisted of only a few scattered tents now look like warehouses in the midst of the plains, with boxes, bags and cans of food and supplies piled higher than a man's head. Officers and soldiers want to go ahead, food or no food. Cavalry columns that started out with five days' provisions have gone for three weeks without additional supplies. Beesves killed at night would be stripped and carried on saddles to cure and the next day and would be eaten the next night. The corn picked up from the countryside for the horses would be baked, stewed, roasted and tried for the men. A case of self-denial was that of a major, inveterate smoker, who worried along for ten days on seven matches. Of this the soldiers never complained. Their only complaint is against marking time.

Teach Mexico a lesson and bring her to time does not need an army of several hundred thousand men, said one of the high commanding officers of the expedition. "There may be one or two read fights, but it would not be necessary toarrison the towns. All that is required is to throw a scare into a few of them and the others would behave."

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#### MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY VICTOR IN DUAL TRACK MEET WEDNESDAY

Illinois Defeated 76 to 33—College Men Handicapped by Loss of Frisbie, Put up Plucky Fight—Three Firsts Won by Harmon's Team.

James Millikin university of Decatur defeated Illinois college Wednesday afternoon by score of 76 to 33. This was Illinois' first real try-out on the field and the local men made away with three firsts it was evident from the beginning of the meet that chances for anything more than an even break were remote. Cox, who has this season assisted Coach Wann in training the track team, was chief point maker for Millikin, winning first in two dashes. Cannon, with eight points, was high man for Illinois. R. N. McCord of Bloomington, was starter. The outcome of the meet was foretold two weeks ago when Millikin defeated Illinois State Normal by a score of 81 to 41. Saturday the Decatur men will meet Wesleyan on Millikin's grounds and the fact that Wesleyan was recently beaten by Bradley Polytechnic of Peoria, by a score of 63 1-2 to 44 1-2, makes the Decatur school all the more confident. Since the recent disarming of Frisbie by faculty action hope of Illinois' winning has been on the wane.

Judges of the finish were Clarence Lukeman, John Larson, Harry Obermeyer and Prof. R. H. Tanner. Felix Farrell, Wilford Ayers and Marcy W. Osborne were timers. Field judges were Prof. J. G. Ames, Warren Pierce and R. Rieffer.

#### The events:

100 yard dash—First, Cox, Millikin; second, Cannon, Illinois. Time 10 2-5 seconds.

220 yard dash—First, Cox, Millikin; second, Wells, Illinois. Time 24 seconds.

440 yard dash—First, Wilson, Illinois; second, Moore, Millikin. Time 53 3-5 seconds.

880 yard run—First, Smith, Illinois; second, Wilson, Illinois. Time 2:16.

1 Mile run—First, Vertrees, Millikin; second, Land, Illinois. Time, 4:48 2-5.

Shot put—First, Killebrew, Millikin; second, Sutherland, Millikin. Distance, 36 feet, 4 inches.

Discus throw—First, Meyers, Millikin; second, Sutherland, Millikin. Distance, 124 feet 6 inches.

Javelin throw—First, Major, Millikin; second, Folsom, Illinois. Distance, 132 feet, 9 inches.

High jump—First, Morris, Millikin; second, Davis, Illinois. Height, 5 feet, 7 inches.

Running broad jump—First, Johnson, Millikin; second, Norris, Millikin. Distance, 21 feet, 7 inches.

Pole vault—First, Cannon, Illinois, with Moore and Cox of Millikin in tying for second place. Height, 10 feet 6 inches.

220 yard low hurdles—First, Miller, Millikin; second, Killebrew, Millikin. Time—27 1-5 seconds.

120 yard high hurdles—Forfeited to Millikin university.

Relay—Won by Millikin. Time, 3:43. Millikin entrants: Lee, Smith, Seward and Cox. Illinois: Hembrough, Thiebaud, Newberry and Wilson.

#### Millikin Tennis Winner.

In the tennis contests Millikin made a clean sweep both in doubles and singles. In the doubles Catlin and McDonald won two matches from Hill and Capps by scores of 5-3 and 6-2. McDonald beat Hill by 6-1 and 6-0, and in the singles between Catlin and Capps the Millikin man made a 6-2, 6-2 score.

#### CHAPIN

Mrs. Frank Hays of Jacksonville was here on business today.

Mrs. C. M. Campbell and children of Concord visited Mrs. Frank Smith Tuesday.

Warren Reeding of Morrill was in Chapin yesterday on business.

Charles Thompson of Merced was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mr. Dan Smith was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. W. W. Anderson was hostess to the Household Science club Wednesday. There were twelve present.

Miss Effie Markham was the guest, Mrs. H. O. Smith was taken into the club. The roll call was answered by "Timely Topics." Miss Ellen Coults gave a book review on "Polly Adams" by Porter. Light refreshments were served.

The Joy Prairie Coterie met with Mrs. J. Joy Wednesday. There were fourteen present, the guests were Mrs. Furry and Miss Gertrude Onken. The roll call was answered by quotations from Tennyson. Several contests for prizes were given, the following were the winners: Mrs. Charles Joy, Miss Amy Onken and Mrs. Dr. Magill.

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### DR. HARKER RETURNS FROM GREAT METHODIST CONFERENCE

Sessions are of vast interest to Church Membership—interest in Election of Officers.

Dr. J. R. Harker has returned from attending the sessions of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Saratoga Springs and gives a glowing account of the great body of ministers meeting there all intent on propagating the gospel and its blessed message to all mankind.

The sessions began May first and ordinarily would last a month but as decoration day will be the 30th and the Sunday before the 28th it is the desire to get thru the 25th so that the members may be at home the 28th for memorial Sunday. Another argument often suggested is the cost of the conference which is estimated to be \$4,000 an hour so that a person inclined to talk too long is reminded of the fact that time is money.

The oldest bishop presides first for one day and at devotions next morning and then the next one in seniority on down to the youngest and then begin over again. There are now eighteen bishops and Bishop Cranston is the senior with Bishop Hamilton next. Heretofore one of the most trying duties at general conference has been the retiring of the older bishops as there was no set rule and few were ready to realize that their day of usefulness was past so at the last general conference at Minneapolis four years ago it was decreed that hereafter any bishop who reached the age of 75 during the quadrennium between the conferences would retire automatically at the next general conference and this will apply to Bishops Cranston and Hamilton.

### Facts About Bishops.

At Minneapolis four years ago Bishop Warren was present, 89 years old, erect and seemingly in the full possession of all his mental and physical faculties but within a month after conference he was dead. There will be seven bishops to elect at the present conference and the work will be difficult. There are 840 members and as two thirds are necessary it will take 560 to elect. Five bishops have died since the last conference and two are to be added to the present number. No nominating speeches are made but the first thing in the morning after the report of the committee on episcopacy had been made, a ballot was taken. As the counting requires so much time the result is not reported till next morning. Tuesday the first ballot was taken and Dr. Thomas Nicholson received the highest number but not the required two thirds.

Dr. J. W. VanCleave, superintendent of the Decatur district, is prominently mentioned as a candidate. Pittsburg and Detroit have been made episcopal residences.

Business is proceeding more rapidly than heretofore. The conference meets in business session forenoon only, the rest of the time being devoted to work by the various committees as most of the business must be done in committee. Heretofore fraternal delegates and foreign bishops have been heard in the morning and have occupied much time but now they are heard in evenings. The sessions are characterized by great harmony and brotherly feeling. Devotions last from 8:30 a. m. till nine. The first day an impressive spectacle was the repeating of the apostles' creed which was heard successively in eight different languages, all repeating it in English and then groups coming forward and repeating it in German, Italian, Scandinavian, Japanese, Chinese and others. Bishop Cranston said that had time permitted seven more languages could thus have been represented from the members of the conference.

**The Unification Plan.**  
Unification of the uniting of the two bodies, Methodists south and this body, was the uppermost theme in the minds of the delegates and any reference to the subject elicited applause. At the general conference of the church south two years ago steps in that direction were taken.

A committee of sixty was appointed on the subject and they reported favorably on the overtures received from the other conference and they were continued with power to devise means of unification in accordance with the acts of a like body from the church south.

Bishop Hendrix, the senior bishop of the church south, was on the platform when the report was made and Bishop Cranston took him by the hand, led him to the front of the platform and clasped his hand in fraternal greeting. The effect was electrical. Delegates mounted the seats and cheered lustily for moments and then all sang with a will, "Blest be the tie that binds." Bishop Cranston said it was a moment for which he had earnestly prayed for years. The committee on the state of the church reported in favor of full and fraternal relations with all laboring people in general and labor unions in particular especially recognizing the right of collective bargaining and recommending the adoption of a resolution that the church will prefer union labor. That precipitated a long discussion and while the report was received as far as full sympathy and fellowship with labor unions was concerned it was not deemed wise to go farther. One colored brother from the south said very few of his race were permitted to join unions and if the full report was received then the invitation of the Master to all that labor and are heavy laden would have to be changed to some that labor and are heavy laden. So that part recommending a preference was omitted.

It is understood that the committee on amusements will report in favor of leaving the matter in the

discipline as it now stands tho it had not been received by the conference when Dr. Harker left. Bishops Bashford and Lewis, veterans from China, were heard with great respect and interest. Bishop Lewis is to deliver the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the college. Bishop Nuelson has been stationed in Europe and since the beginning of the war his position has been very delicate but he has handled it with skill and good judgment always.

Last week an hour was given to honor the memory of Bishop Asbury, first bishop of the church in America and who died in 1816. Bishops Leete, Bristol and Berry made eloquent addresses. Last Sunday Bishop Bashford delivered a sermon on unity and it was a powerful and brilliant effort. It was ordered printed in all the Advocates and also in special pamphlet form for general distribution.

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### ALUMNI OF ROODHOUSE HIGH SCHOOL HELD ANNUAL BANQUET

Program of Toasts Is Given and Officers Elected—Peoria Boosters Visit City.

Roodhouse, Ill., May 17.—Alumni of the Roodhouse high school held their annual banquet and election of officers at the Knights of Pythias hall Tuesday night. J. H. Perciful, superintendent of schools, acted as toastmaster for the occasion and the following program of toasts was given:

"Progress of Education"—Mrs. Joyce Pinnell.  
"High School Brotherhood"—Dr. O. L. Edwards.

"High School Days"—Dr. L. A. Rawlins.

"High School Boy"—Mrs. Ernest Wells.

"Athletics"—Claude Griffiths.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following:

President—Claude Griffiths.

Vice president—Mrs. W. J. Allen.

Secretary—Floss Gollier.

Treasurer—Annabel Michael.

Peoria Boosters Visit Roodhouse.

The Peoria Boosters' special train arrived here this morning at 9:30 o'clock and the visitors spent about forty minutes in the city. The boosters were met by members of the Roodhouse Business Men's association and were welcomed by Mayor H. W. Smith, who made a brief talk in the park. The Boosters left here for White Hall and from there will continue their trip to St. Louis and other points in southern Illinois.

Superintendent of Schools J. H. Perciful and Mrs. Perciful have gone to Newton to spend the summer.

### EXETER.

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Curtis Carter and wife visited in town last Sunday.

Lee Emmons and wife visited at the home of Rev. Mr. Emmons Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Emmons is very ill at present writing.

Miss Josie Orchard is visiting home folks.

Quite a number from here are employed to work on the new road near Oxville.

Alice Ratigan visited Emma Lee Brown last Friday.

Harold Guys visited in town last Sunday.

Miss Verna Mathews visited home folks here last Sunday.

Frank Ratigan and sister, Miss Lucy were Bluffs visitors last Sunday.

P. Quinn visited in town Sunday.

Henry Elbow and family passed thru town Sunday enroute to Neelyville to attend services.

Mr. Miers of Missouri is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Fry.

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### SCHOOL FOR AGENTS PLANNED BY THE ALTON ROAD.

Bloomington Pantagraph—The Chicago and Alton traffic department has decided upon other school of instruction for passenger and freight agents at every station of importance upon the system, it being arranged that all agents from contiguous points assemble to participate. A special train will leave Chicago next Monday morning and will reach Dwight at 9 a. m., where the first school will be held. All agents from the branch and points north of Dwight will be expected to attend. The special then moves to Bloomington and the school will start here at 9 a. m. on the 23d. There will be a school at Springfield on the 24th, Roodhouse on the 25th and at western division points on the 26th and 27th. There will be five or six experts from the traffic offices of the company in Chicago, who will accompany the special and endeavor to enlighten agents upon all doubtful points concerning freight or passenger tariffs. These tariffs are complicated and it is easy for the agents to go wrong. Frequent changes are made and the explanations are sometimes difficult to understand. This leads to confusion and uncertainty. By the method of a traveling school, the agents can clear up all perplexing points and secure information that would require a vast amount of correspondence to supply. One of these traveling schools was operated over the road a year ago last March and proved highly successful. With many new agents upon the pay rolls and many recent shifts it was decided to start the special with the experts aboard over the line once more. A dining car will be taken along for the accommodation of the traffic men. The special will be out about one week.

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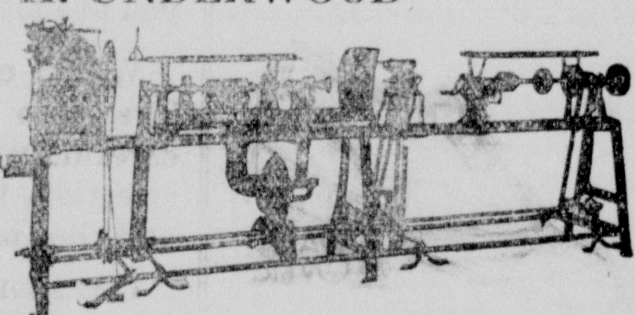
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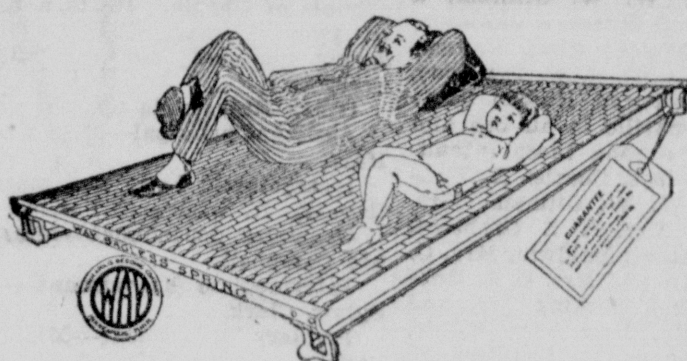
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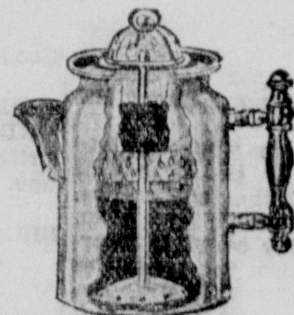
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## SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDACIES KNOWN

LAST FILING DAY BROUGHT MANY NEW NAMES.

List Closed at Midnight by Township Treasurer E. M. Dunlap—Two Seek Presidency and Twenty Eight Are Willing to Serve as Board Members—A President and Nine Members Will be Elected May 27th.

**FOR PRESIDENT.**  
(Vote for one.)  
H. J. Rodgers.  
J. P. Lippincott.  
**FOR MEMBERS.**  
(Vote for Nine.)  
L. H. Clappitt.  
Ellsworth Wells.  
Lillian I. Danskin.  
Mabel R. Vannier.  
Lillian G. Carpenter.  
Frank H. Bode.  
David L. Duncan.  
Charles A. Rose.  
Charles E. McDougall.  
Dr. George F. Dinsmore.  
John D. Cain.  
C. W. Jacobs.  
William S. Spencer, Jr.  
Robert T. Cassell.  
D. H. Slater.  
Brayton W. Smith.  
Thomas H. Rapp.  
Walter A. Crawford.  
Thomas V. Hopper.  
Dr. William P. Duncan.  
Mary E. Pierson.  
George S. Rogerson.  
Belle Brockman.  
Henry Muehlhausen.  
Kitty Reid.  
George Imgrund.  
Dr. Carl E. Black.  
Albert C. Metcalf.

Wednesday at midnight was the final hour for filing petitions for president and members of the board of education. At 6 o'clock only fourteen petitions had been placed on record with E. M. Dunlap, township treasurer, but during the evening hours numerous petitions were received and the total is now two candidates for the presidency and twenty-eight for members of the board of education. The names are to appear on the ballot in the order of their filing and the list of candidates is as above indicated.

It was rumored last night that a number of those who have filed petitions will withdraw them before the election is held. In accordance with the general law the election will be held Saturday, May 27, and the polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. There will be sixteen polling places, practically the same as those used for the election held Tuesday. The Australian system of balloting will prevail but all names will appear in the order of their filing. The list shows that all the members of the old board of education will seek to have a place on the new board.

In the list of names appear a number whose candidacies had not been heard of until the final filing Wednesday. Alexander Platt was active in advocating the candidacy of a number of citizens, the slate which he favored having special ideas of running the schools on a stricter plan of economy.

As there are but nine members to be chosen in addition to the president it is apparent that there will be a great scattering of votes or else there must be a number of withdrawals. The interest is already keen and the indications are that following the ten day campaign by the candidates and their friends that the total vote cast will be larger than that at the recent bond election.

Under the general law the board members have just about the same power as members of the old board, and following the election they will draw for their time of service. Three will serve for three years, three for two years and three for one year. In each succeeding year three members will be chosen for three years. The president who is elected will serve but for one year.

**SPECIAL WINDOW DISPLAY TODAY, SUGGESTING COMMENCEMENT GIFTS, NEWEST NOVELTIES.**

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**BASEBALL FRIDAY MORNING: ILLINOIS VS. CARTHAGE**

That the baseball game between Illinois and Carthage college, scheduled for May 19, last December at the meeting of college coaches in Peoria, will be held on Illinois field Friday forenoon, is the present probability, according to announcement of Coach W. T. Harpmon Wednesday evening. Effort was made to have Carthage change the game from Friday to Thursday or Saturday. It seems, however, that on the basis of the Illinois game a trip had been arranged in which is included Macomb Normal, and that the change to either date could not be made without great inconvenience. There is objection to a morning game there remains no alternative.

Ladies' DIAMOND RINGS \$5 and up, for just THREE DAYS. EDWARD D. HEINL.

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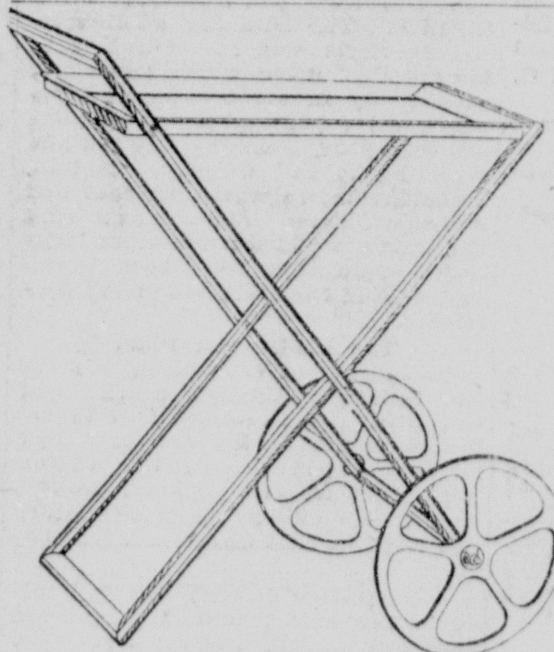
Blue serges, flannels Imperial stripes with blue, black and brown grounds, pinch back and English models, some silk lined—\$15 to \$25.

Hats, shirts, hosiery and neckwear to complete the outfit.

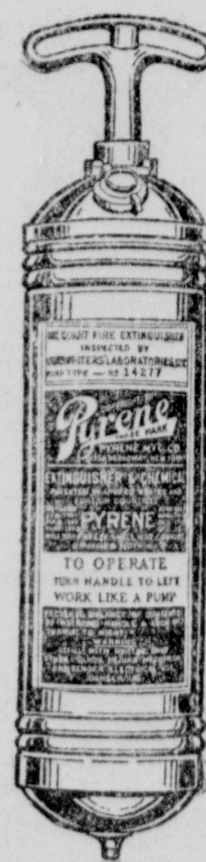
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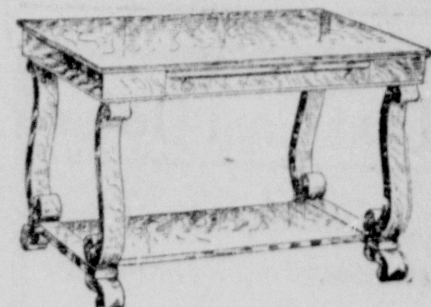


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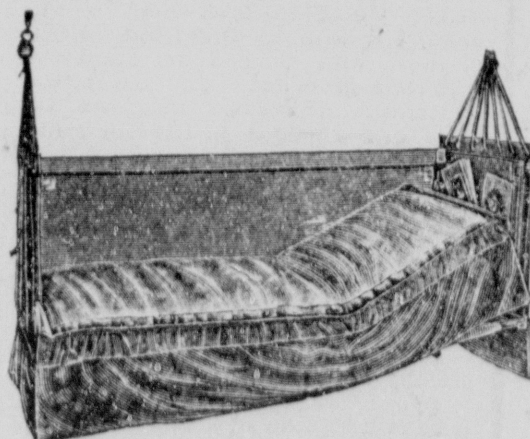


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### WINCHESTER POLICEMEN SENT IN RESIGNATIONS

New Council to Fill Vacancies Soon—Senior High School Play a Great Success.

Winchester, May 17.—For the past twenty four hours this city has been without police protection of any kind, and without the services of a street commissioner. The resignations of City Marshal Jacob Buckley, Night Police Israel Scott, and Street Commissioner Joseph Lyman were tendered and accepted by the city council at its regular meeting held in the town hall Tuesday night. Dr. H. H. Fletcher, the mayor, has not made any temporary appointments in these various offices to date, therefore the present state of conditions.

Dr. James Miner left Tuesday for a short visit with his daughter, Miss Helen, at the Illinois Woman's College, and left yesterday for Champaign to attend the meetings of the medical convention now being held in that city.

Mrs. Ray Smith returned to her home in Concord after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coultas.

Mrs. Andrew Funk and Miss Eva Kane of Riggsport were visitors here Wednesday.

James Rough and daughter Miss Belle returned Wednesday afternoon from Beardstown. They visited Mr. Richard Coultas, who is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Peake T. Taylor left Wednesday for Griggsville to attend the commencement exercises, her daughter, Miss Helen, being among the list of graduates.

Mrs. Luther Carter was called to Alsey Wednesday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Catherine Lawless. The senior play which was given at the Lyric Tuesday evening deserves the highest praise, the pupils for their splendid acting and Mrs. David Hains further for her untiring efforts in directing them.

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Edward D. Heinl has in his possession a very fine collection of Illinois river pearls. There are a number of the famous rosebud in this collection and there are a number of pearls of unusual form and beauty. Mr. Heinl does not have the collection for sale but will be very glad to show them to any persons who have a special interest in these fresh water stones. In the past few years some of the very finest stones have been found by the pearl fishers on the Illinois river, and the Illinois has gained country wide renown on this account.

**BEAUTIFUL BOOKS** for graduation at LANE'S BARGAIN BOOK STORE.

**SAN JOSE MAN DISAPPEARS.**  
Notices are appearing in various papers about the disappearance of W. L. Burbridge of San Jose. Mr. Burbridge was the manager of the telephone company at that town and the last seen of him was when he left May 2 on the C. & A. for Peoria. A letter to his brother mailed immediately afterward indicated suicidal intent and the relatives of the man are firmly of the opinion that he has become mentally deranged.

Jess Willard says, "Musing-Wear knocks out all underwear annoyances. It suits me perfectly." FRANK BYRNS Hat Store carry a large assortment.

Mrs. W. F. Holtscher and daughters Gladys and Grace went to Beardstown yesterday to attend the funeral of a little child of Mrs. Holtscher's sister, Mrs. Fred Roha.

### REBEKAHS MADE TRIP TO ARENZVILLE

Team From Caritas Lodge Put on Work—Party Went in Automobiles.

A large company of Rebekahs from Caritas lodge No. 625 of this city went over to Arenzville last evening on a special mission to put on the work with the crack team of this place and to enjoy a banquet as guests of the Arenzville body. The company went in automobiles supplied as follows: Edgar Martin, a National car; Chas. B. Graff, a Case; Robert Reid, a Ford; C. E. Williamson, a Buick; W. W. Gillham, a Cadillac; Wilfred Carter, a Oakland; Clyde Black, a Reo; Chas. E. Seymour, an Oakland; R. E. Crabtree, an Oakland; Edward Huston came over from Arenzville in his car and took a load. Among those intending to go were Mrs. Charles E. Williamson, Mrs. W. W. Gillham, Mrs. Myrtle Tandy, Mrs. R. E. Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baldwin, Mrs. C. E. Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Roberts, Mrs. Isabel Hocking, Mr. and Mrs. McGlothlin, Miss Alice Miller, Mrs. Harry Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henderson, Mrs. Dr. Bradley, Mrs. Wallace Brockman, Mrs. F. P. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Stewart, Miss Ethel Stewart, Miss Jeanette Foreman, Mrs. Louis Piepenbring, Miss Corinne Piepenbring, Miss Mittie Godfrey, John Schofield, Miss Vera Crim, Miss Hazel Claus, Miss Inez McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. William Spillman, Miss Louise Wood, Otto Eckles, George Stoldt and Charles Goody.

**SPECIAL THREE DAY DIAMOND SALE.** Mounted stones at prices which prevailed two years ago. EDWARD D. HEINL.

### SECOND GRADUATION RECITAL OF COLLEGE CONSERVATORY

Will Be Given At 8 O'Clock At Northminster Church.

The second of the series of three graduation recitals by students of Illinois college conservatory will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at Northminster Presbyterian church.

Following are the program numbers:

**Program.**  
Concerto in D minor, Op. 40, for piano and orchestra Mendelssohn Grace Edith Angus (Diploma)  
(Orchestral part on second piano, Mr. Munger)  
Aria, "With verdure clad," from The Creation Haydn (Sarah Katherine Frankenberg (Teacher's Certificate)  
Suite for violin Viouxtempa Helen Frazer (Teacher's Certificate)  
Concerto in A minor, Op. 16, for piano and orchestra Grieg Helen Katherine Struck (Diploma)  
Orchestral part on second piano, Mr. Munger  
Aria from "The Queen of Sheba" Gounod Nell Frances Self (Teacher's Certificate)  
Aria, "Honor and Arms," from oratoria Samson Haendel Earl H. Pond (Teacher's Certificate)  
Concerto in E minor, Op. 11, for piano and orchestra Chopin Grace Anna Hoffman (Diploma)  
Orchestral part on second piano, Mr. Munger.

**LESS THAN HALF FORMER PRICE, 25 TRIMMED HATS, \$1.95, ON OUR FIRST FLOOR, FRONT TABLE.**

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### TEACHER RE-EMPLOYED.

Miss Bessie Hughes, who for the past two years has been the successful teacher at Hickory Grove school north of Jacksonville, has been re-employed for the coming term. Miss Hughes' work at the school, as this action on the part of the directors indicates, has been of a very satisfactory kind.

**FINEST DIAMONDS AT EDWARD D. HEINL'S** special three day sale.

### PURCHASED FULLMAN.

Frank Rockwood of Chapin has purchased a new Pullman automobile from J. E. Sice.

### F. J. HARNEY TO SUCCEED DIAL AS MURRAYVILLE PRINCIPAL

Teachers Announced for the Coming School Year—Other News Notes of Murrayville and Vicinity.

The school directors of Murrayville have secured the services of F. J. Harney of Henry, Ill., as principal, succeeding J. H. Dial, who as before announced will quit the position he has faithfully filled for sixteen years and June 1 will begin his duties as auditor for the Illinois Telephone company. Mr. Harney was at one time principal of the schools of Chapin. He is a teacher of twenty years experience and seems qualified for the place in every way.

Other Murrayville teachers are:

Assistant principal—Miss Bessie Hart.  
Instructor in Latin and mathematics—E. R. Clemmons.  
Grammar department—Miss Nannie Campbell.  
Intermediate department—Miss Sylvia Clark.  
Primary department—Miss Ethel Smith.

Mr. Madden to Speak.  
The Rev. F. B. Madden, pastor of Grace M. E. church, Jacksonville, will speak this evening at 7:30 o'clock at Murrayville Methodist church and afterward will preside at the quarterly conference of the church. An urgent invitation is extended all members.

Friday evening there will be a musical entertainment in the church by Mr. Thompson, a blind musician. **Cox Funeral Today.**

Funeral services for Charles Cox, whose death occurred Tuesday morning at his home in Nortonville, will be held this forenoon at 10 o'clock from Youngblood Baptist church. Burial will be made in Youngblood cemetery.

**OUR FINEST SUITS, WHICH HAVE BEEN \$25.00 TO \$32.50, REDUCED NOW TO \$14.50 AND \$18.50.**

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### RETURNS FROM EAST

Captain Alex Smith has returned from Saratoga where he has been for a few days witnessing the working of the great Methodist Episcopal conference. He says Mr. Rule has been honored in various ways and is very busy attending to the duties of the places which have been accorded him. The captain says he would have enjoyed staying longer but from his dignified appearance and intellectual features he was actually afraid they would want to elect him a bishop and he feared it might cause dissension and dissatisfaction if he declined and he felt hardly like attempting the duties of so important an office and so the man who didn't flinch or turn aside when bullets were flying all about him at Altoona Pass and elsewhere deemed discretion the better part of valor in this case and so retreated but it can hardly be said he went away under fire but for the good of the cause.

Trinity Church Utility Sale and Market Saturday, May 20th at Park Hall.

### BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

"A Rod" was announced Wednesday by the Rev. P. W. Stephens as the sermon subject for the Jacksonville high school baccalaureate service Sunday morning at First Baptist church. Juniors of the high school and the church pulpit committee, composed of Miss Mabel Goltz, Miss Laura Hayden and Miss Laura Hammond, will have in charge the decoration of the church.

### GRADUATION GIFTS.

See the beautiful new line of graduation gifts just received at LANE'S BARGAIN BOOK STORE.

### BALL GAME AT ALEXANDER.

The Alexander ball team defeated Waverly on the Alexander diamond a recent game by a score of 16 to 6. The Alexander players batted the three Waverly pitchers freely, Weigand pitched good ball for Alexander, as the score indicates. The batteries were: Alexander—Weigand and Bearup; Waverly—Bryan, Bryan and Harber.